

105TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 34

To amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to prohibit individuals who are not citizens of the United States from making contributions or expenditures in connection with an election for Federal office.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 7, 1997

Mr. BEREUTER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Oversight

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. PROHIBITING NON-CITIZEN INDIVIDUALS**
2 **FROM MAKING CONTRIBUTIONS OR EXPENDI-**
3 **TURES IN CONNECTION WITH FEDERAL**
4 **ELECTIONS.**

5 (a) PROHIBITION APPLICABLE TO ALL NON-CITI-
6 ZENS.—Section 319(b)(2) of the Federal Election Cam-
7 paign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441e(b)(2)) is amended by
8 striking “and who is not lawfully admitted” and all that
9 follows and inserting a period.

10 (b) PROHIBITION APPLICABLE TO EXPENDITURES.—

11 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 319(a) of such Act
12 (2 U.S.C. 441e(a)) is amended by inserting “or ex-
13 penditure” after “contribution” each place it ap-
14 pears.

15 (2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 319
16 of such Act (2 U.S.C. 441e) is amended in the head-
17 ing by inserting “AND EXPENDITURES” after “CON-
18 TRIBUTIONS”.

19 **SEC. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

20 The amendments made by this Act shall apply with
21 respect to contributions or expenditures made on or after
22 the date of the enactment of this Act.

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