

107<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 4053

To assure more equitable results in union elections.

---

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 20, 2002

Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas (for himself, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BALLENGER, and Mr. NORWOOD) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

---

## A BILL

To assure more equitable results in union elections.

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

3 **SECTION 1. OVERTURNING UNION ELECTIONS.**

4 Section 402(c)(2) of the Labor Management Report-  
5 ing and Disclosure Act of 1959 (29 U.S.C. 402(c)(2)) is  
6 amended by striking “affected the outcome of an election”  
7 and inserting “substantially understated or overstated the  
8 support of one of the candidates for office to the point  
9 that the democratic purposes of the election were under-  
10 mined.”.

1 **SEC. 2. REGULATIONS.**

2 Not later than 6 months after the date of enactment  
3 of this Act, the Secretary of Labor shall review and revise  
4 regulations promulgated before such date to implement  
5 the amendment made in this Act to the Labor-Manage-  
6 ment reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959.

7 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

8 The amendment made by this Act shall take effect  
9 180 days after the date of enactment of this Act.

○