

105TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 34

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 31, 1998

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and  
Administration

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## AN ACT

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.

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. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Illegal Foreign Con-  
3 tributions Act of 1998”.

4 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITING NON-CITIZEN INDIVIDUALS FROM**  
5 **MAKING CONTRIBUTIONS OR EXPENDITURES**  
6 **IN CONNECTION WITH FEDERAL ELECTIONS.**

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

12 (b) PROHIBITION APPLICABLE TO EXPENDITURES.—

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

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

1 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

2       The amendments made by this Act shall apply with  
3 respect to contributions or expenditures made on or after  
4 the date of the enactment of this Act.

      Passed the House of Representatives March 30,  
1998.

Attest:

ROBIN H. CARLE,  
*Clerk.*