107TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION H.R. 270

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 30, 2001

Mr. FRANK introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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,

3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

4 This Act may be cited as the "State Regulation of5 Marriage Is Appropriate Act".

6 SEC. 2. ELIMINATION OF FEDERAL POLICY ON THE DEFINI-

7 **TION OF MARRIAGE.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Title 1, United States Code, is9 amended by striking section 7.

(b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
at the beginning of chapter 1 of such title is amended by
striking the item relating to section 7.