112TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. RES. 280

Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to prevent any Member, Delegate, Resident Commissioner, officer, or employee of the House from benefitting financially from a vote to change the statutory limit on the public debt.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 26, 2011

Ms. McCollum submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Ethics

RESOLUTION

Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to prevent any Member, Delegate, Resident Commissioner, officer, or employee of the House from benefitting financially from a vote to change the statutory limit on the public debt.

- 1 Resolved, That rule XXIII of the Rules of the House
- 2 of Representatives (known as the "Code of Official Con-
- 3 duct") is amended by redesignating clause 18 as clause
- 4 19 and by inserting after clause 17 the following new
- 5 clause:
- 6 "18. A Member, Delegate, Resident Commis-
- 7 sioner, officer, or employee of the House may not

- 1 buy or sell any stock, bond, currency, commodity, or
- 2 precious metal within seventy-two hours before or
- 3 after a vote in the House to change the statutory

4 limit on the public debt.".

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