

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

# H. R. 4550

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 27, 2010

Ms. TSONGAS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## 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 “No Taxpayer Money  
5 for Corporate Campaigns Act of 2010”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON THE USE OF FEDERAL FUNDS FOR**  
2 **CAMPAIGN AND LOBBYING ACTIVITIES.**

3 With respect to Federal funds received by an entity,  
4 other than a natural person, it shall be unlawful for such  
5 entity to—

6 (1) use such funds to advocate the election or  
7 defeat of a political candidate;

8 (2) use such funds to engage in any lobbying  
9 activity; or

10 (3) donate such funds to any entity that advo-  
11 cates for the election or defeat of a political can-  
12 didate or engages in lobbying activities.

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