

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5175, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MRS. BACHMANN OF MINNESOTA

Insert after title III the following new title:

1 **TITLE IV—BAN ON ACTIVITY BY**
2 **ORGANIZATIONS VIOLATING**
3 **ELECTION LAWS**

4 **SEC. 401. BAN ON CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY BY ORGANIZATIONS**
5 **VIOLATING ELECTION LAWS.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Title III of the Federal Election
7 Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.), as amended
8 by section 301, is further amended by adding at the end
9 the following new section:

10 **“SEC. 328. BAN ON CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY BY ORGANIZA-**
11 **TIONS VIOLATING ELECTION LAWS.**

12 “(a) BAN.—Notwithstanding any other provision of
13 this Act, any organization described in subsection (b) (in-
14 cluding a separate segregated fund established and admin-
15 istered by the organization under section 316(b)(2)(C))
16 may not make any contribution, expenditure, independent
17 expenditure, or disbursement of funds for an election-
18 eering communication, or make any other donation of
19 money or other thing of value in connection with a Fed-
20 eral, State, or local election.

1 “(b) ORGANIZATIONS DESCRIBED.—An organization
2 described in this subsection is that has been indicted for
3 a violation under Federal or State Law relating to an elec-
4 tion for Federal or State office, or whose executive offi-
5 cers, dues paying members, or persons acting on directions
6 of the organization or such individuals have been indicted
7 for a violation under Federal or State Law relating to an
8 election for Federal or State office.”.

9 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
10 subsection (a) shall apply with respect to indictments
11 issued on or after the date that is 3 years before the date
12 of the enactment of this Act.

