

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5175, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. KUCINICH OF OHIO

Page 15, insert after line 15 the following:

1 (c) APPLICATION TO PERSONS RECEIVING FUNDING
2 FROM CREDIT FACILITIES ESTABLISHED BY FEDERAL
3 RESERVE.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 317(a) of such Act
5 (2 U.S.C. 441c(a)), as amended by subsection (b),
6 is further amended—

7 (A) by striking “or” at the end of para-
8 graph (2);

9 (B) by redesignating paragraph (3) as
10 paragraph (4); and

11 (C) by inserting after paragraph (2) the
12 following new paragraph:

13 “(3) who is a corporation which enters into ne-
14 gotiations for financial assistance from credit facili-
15 ties established by the Board of Governors of the
16 Federal Reserve System or any Federal reserve
17 bank, during the period—

18 “(A) beginning on the later of the com-
19 mencement of the negotiations or the date of
20 the enactment of the Democracy is Strength-

1 ened by Casting Light on Spending in Elections
2 Act; and

3 “(B) ending with the later of the termi-
4 nation of such negotiations or the repayment of
5 such financial assistance;
6 directly or indirectly to make any contribution of
7 money or other things of value, or to promise ex-
8 pressly or impliedly to make any such contribution
9 to any political party, committee, or candidate for
10 public office or to any person for any political pur-
11 pose or use, to make any independent expenditure,
12 or to disburse any funds for an electioneering com-
13 munication; or”.

14 (2) CREDIT FACILITIES DESCRIBED.—Section
15 317 of such Act (2 U.S.C. 441c), as amended by
16 subsection (a)(2), is amended—

17 (A) by redesignating subsections (c) and
18 (d) as subsections (d) and (e); and

19 (B) by inserting after subsection (b) the
20 following new subsection:

21 “(c) For purposes of subsection (b), the credit facili-
22 ties established by the Board of Governors of the Federal
23 Reserve System or any Federal reserve bank include the
24 following:

1 “(1) Term Asset-Backed Securities Loan Facil-
2 ity.

3 “(2) The Commercial Paper Funding Facility.

4 “(3) Mortgage Backed Securities Purchase Pro-
5 gram, as well as the purchase of debt obligations
6 from a Government Sponsored Enterprise.

7 “(4) The Discount Window.

8 “(5) Any special purpose vehicle through which
9 any such credit facility conducts any activity or lend-
10 ing.”.

Page 15, line 16, strike “(c)” and insert “(d)”.

Page 55, insert after line 6 the following:

11 “(F) At the time the organization dis-
12 bursed the funds, the organization was not re-
13 ceiving financial assistance from credit facilities
14 established by the Board of Governors of the
15 Federal Reserve System or any Federal reserve
16 bank (as described in section 317(c)).”.

