112TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 68

To amend the Communications Act of 1934 to prohibit Federal funding for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting after fiscal year 2013.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 5, 2011

Mr. LAMBORN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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. PROHIBITION ON FEDERAL FUNDS FOR COR-**

4 　　　　**PORATION FOR PUBLIC BROADCASTING**

5 　　　　**AFTER FISCAL YEAR 2013.**

6 　(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 396 of the Communica-

7 tions Act of 1934 (47 U.S.C. 396) is amended by adding

8 at the end the following new subsection:

9 　"(n) PROHIBITION ON FEDERAL FUNDS AFTER FIS-

10 CAL YEAR 2013.—No Federal funds may be made avail-

1 able to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting after fis-

2 cal year 2013.''.

3 (b) CORPORATION PROHIBITED FROM ACCEPTING

4 FEDERAL FUNDS.—Subsection (g) of such section is

5 amended—

6   (1) in paragraph (2)(A), by inserting ''subject

7   to paragraph (3)(C),'' before ''obtain''; and

8   (2) in paragraph (3)—

9   (A) in subparagraph (A), by striking '';

10   and'' and inserting a semicolon;

11   (B) in subparagraph (B), by striking the

12   period at the end and inserting ''; and''; and

13   (C) by adding at the end the following new

14   subparagraph:

15   ''(C) accepting funds from the Federal

16   Government after fiscal year 2013.''.

17 (c) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Such section is

18 further amended—

19   (1) in subsection (k)(3)(A)(iv)(II), by inserting

20   ''through fiscal year 2013'' after ''amounts re-

21   ceived''; and

22   (2) in subsection (m)—

23   (A) in paragraph (1), by inserting

24   ''through fiscal year 2013'' after ''every three

25   years thereafter''; and

1   (B) in paragraph (2), by inserting ''and

2   through fiscal year 2013,'' after ''1989,''.

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