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90TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 8381

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 11, 1967

Mrs. DWYER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

A BILL

To prohibit nepotism in employment in the legislative branch of the United States Government.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That for purposes of this Act—

4 (1) A “Member of the Congress of the United States”
5 means an elected Member of the United States House of
6 Representatives, the United States Senate, and the Resident
7 Commissioner of Puerto Rico.

8 (2) A “relative” means any person who is related to a
9 Member of Congress as father, mother, son, daughter, brother,
10 sister, uncle, aunt, first cousin, wife, niece, nephew, father-
11 in-law, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, step-

1 father, stepmother, stepson, stepdaughter, stepbrother, step-
2 sister, foster parent, or foster child.

3 SEC. 2. (a) A Member of Congress shall not appoint
4 or employ, or recommend for appointment or employment
5 to a position, in any capacity in the legislative branch of the
6 Federal Government, any person who is a relative of such
7 Member of Congress.

8 (b) Any relative appointed or employed in violation of
9 this section shall not be entitled to compensation, and no
10 money shall be paid from the Treasury of the United States
11 as compensation to any relative so appointed or employed.

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