[DISCUSSION DRAFT] January 12, 1976

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A BILL

To amend title 39, United States Code, to provide that Members of the Congress may not make mass mailings as franked mail less than 30 days before a primary election or less than 120 days before a general election.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 3210(a)(5)(D) of title 39, United States Code, is amended--

(1) by striking out "28 days" and inserting in lieu thereof "30 days";

(2) by inserting a comma immediately after "primary";

(3) by inserting immediately before "general election" the following: "less than 120 days immediately before any"; and

(4) by inserting a comma immediately after "runoff)".