

115TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2127

To amend the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959 to require employee consent before labor organization dues of such employee are used for any purpose not directly related to the labor organization's collective bargaining or contract administration functions.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 25, 2017

Mr. BUDD introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

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## 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “National Paycheck  
5 Protection Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. RIGHT NOT TO SUBSIDIZE UNION NONREPRESEN-**  
2 **TATIONAL ACTIVITIES.**

3 Title I of the Labor-Management Reporting and Dis-  
4 closure Act of 1959 (29 U.S.C. 411 et seq.) is amended  
5 by adding at the end the following:

6 **“SEC. 106. RIGHT NOT TO SUBSIDIZE UNION NONREPRE-**  
7 **SENTATIONAL ACTIVITIES.**

8 “No employee’s labor organization dues, fees, or as-  
9 sessments or other contributions shall be used or contrib-  
10 uted to any person, organization, or entity for any purpose  
11 not directly related to the labor organization’s collective  
12 bargaining or contract administration functions on behalf  
13 of the represented unit employee unless the employee  
14 whether a member of the labor organization or a non-  
15 member required to make such payments as a condition  
16 of employment, authorizes such expenditure in writing,  
17 after a notice period of not less than 35 days. An initial  
18 authorization provided by an employee under the pre-  
19 ceding sentence shall expire not later than 1 year after  
20 the date on which such authorization is signed by the em-  
21 ployee. There shall be no automatic renewal of an author-  
22 ization under this section.”.

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