

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2323

OFFERED BY MR. ROYCE OF CALIFORNIA

In paragraph 20 of section 2, insert “ameliorate inherent conflicts of interest between the private entities and the Board of the Broadcasting Board of Governors,” after “content,”.

In paragraph 2 of section 3, insert “timeliness,” after “effectiveness,”.

In subsection (c) of section 110, strike “soliciting and considering” and insert “providing to the Freedom News Network written notification of grant termination and an appropriate opportunity for remediation. If the Chief Executive Officer of the Agency, after consultation with the Board and the appropriate congressional committees, determines that such remediation has not been carried out, the Chief Executive officer may solicit and consider”.

In paragraph (3) of section 112(a), strike “, such as the web content management system ‘Pangea’”.

In subsection (b) of section 124, strike “, and continue existing within the Voice of America of the United

States International Communications Agency, established in section 101”.

In paragraph (3) of section 212, strike “and” at the end.

In paragraph (4) of section 212, insert “unrestricted” after “promote”.

In paragraph (4) of section 212, strike the period at the end and insert “; and”.

In section 212, add at the end the following:

1 (5) enhance digital security training and capac-
2 ity for journalists and democracy activists, continue
3 the research and development of technologies that
4 provide or enhance unrestricted access to the Inter-
5 net, including circumvention tools that bypass Inter-
6 net blocking, filtering, and other censorship tech-
7 niques used by authoritarian governments, and
8 maintain the United States Government’s techno-
9 logical advantage over such censorship techniques.

