

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1631

OFFERED BY MS. LOFGREN OF CALIFORNIA

Strikes line 4 on page 7, and all that follows through page 7, line 12, and inserts the following:

(4) STANDARDS DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION.—The term ‘standards development organization’ is one that develops, establishes, or coordinates voluntary consensus standards using procedures that incorporate the attributes of openness, balance of interests, due process, an appeals process, and consensus in a manner consistent with the requirements of Circular A–119.

A) excludes any organization, association, or entity that:

1. Reports total revenue exceeding \$90,000,000, after accounting for operational costs and other expenses related to the development and dissemination of standards;
2. Allocates more than 5 percent of its annual budget towards executive pay.