



US Code prohibits foreign money in US elections. Citizens United v FEC opened our elections to foreign money and influence through foreign investors who now hold over 40% of all shares in US corporations. The result has been precisely what our founders feared.

52 U.S. Code § 30121. Contributions and donations by foreign nationals

(a) **Prohibition** It shall be unlawful for—

(1) a foreign national directly or indirectly, to make—

(A) a contribution or donation of money or other thing of value, or to make an express or implied promise to make a contribution or donation, in connection with a Federal, State, or local election:

(B) a contribution or donation to a committee of a political party; or

(C) an expenditure, independent expenditure, or disbursement for an electioneering communication (within the meaning of *section 30104(f)(3)* of this title): or

(2) a person to solicit, accept, or receive a contribution or donation described in subparagraph (A) or (B) of paragraph (1) from a foreign national.

(b) **“Foreign national” defined** as used in this section, the term “foreign national”: means—

(1) a foreign principal, as such term is defined by *section 611(b) of title 22* except that the term “foreign national” shall not include any individual who is a citizen of the United States; or

(2) an individual who is not a citizen of the United States or a national of the United States (as defined in *section 1101(a)(22) of title 8*) and who is not lawfully admitted for permanent residence, as defined by *section 1101(a)(20) of title 8*.

<https://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/text/52/30121>