

21-12 FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION V. TED CRUZ FOR SENATE

DECISION BELOW: 451 F.Supp.3d 92

LOWER COURT CASE NUMBER: 19-cv-908 (NJR) (APM) (TJK)

QUESTION PRESENTED:

When a candidate for federal office lends money to his own election campaign, federal law imposes a \$250,000 limit on the amount of post-election contributions that the campaign may use to repay the debt owed to the candidate. 52 U.S.C. 30116(j). The questions presented are as follows:

1. Whether appellees have standing to challenge the statutory loan-repayment limit.
2. Whether the loan-repayment limit violates the Free Speech Clause of the First Amendment.

JURISDICTION POSTPONED 9/30/2021