



John Sidney McCain A Case of Congressional Fraud

The evidence seems to indicate that John McCain was **not** born on Coco Solo military base, was **not born** in the Panama Canal Zone, but rather was born in Colon, Panama, outside of the Panama Canal zone,

Even if John McCain were born in the Panama Canal Zone, in Coco Solo, this still would not be U.S. territory and, thereby, he was not born on U.S. soil and is unqualified to hold the Office of President.

And worse, the Senate engaged in concerted fraud in offering up a non-binding resolution deliberately phrased to misrepresent McCain's qualification for the Office of President of the United States.

SR 511: A Non-Binding Resolution

Senate Resolution [S.R. 511](#), passed Apr 30, 2008, is a Senate non-binding resolution to declare John McCain a natural born citizen. SR 511 seems to be deliberately and meticulously phrased so as to appear to indicate McCain was born on a US Military base, which still isn't even U.S. Territory, - this would be deliberate misrepresentation - fraud.

Clause 8 of [SR 511](#) indicates:

"Whereas John Sidney McCain, III, was born to American citizens on an **American military base** in the Panama Canal Zone in 1936: Now, therefore, be it"

As you can see, the phrase "**American Citizens**" (his parents) is the reference of "**American military base**", indicating where his parents were stationed, and not an indication of John McCain's place of birth (as if where his parents were stationed were relevant - it's not.). We have a senate filled with lawyers and yet it's amazing a handful of these representatives still cannot construct the most important single sentence in this brief resolution, the only sentence that addresses how McCain might be a natural born citizen, so that sentence actually states something relevant. This is not a mistake born of carelessness; it is born of calculation.

Place of Birth

While numerous sources, even Wikipedia, list McCain's birth in Coco Solo Naval hospital, this does not appear to be the case. Documents obtained through FOIA requests at the time of the law suit regarding McCain's eligibility show that John McCain was born in Colon Hospital, Colon, Panama. Here are both [John McCain's long and short form birth certificates](#), apparently released by the Panama Railroad Company. To date, John McCain has not made his birth documentation public.

The city of Colon, Panama has never been a part of the Panama Canal Zone.

Even if John McCain were born in Coco Solo Naval Hospital in the Panama Canal Zone, it would *not* be U.S. territory.

The United States Department of State's Foreign Affairs Manual at 7 FAM 1116.1-4(c) states:

"Despite widespread popular belief, U.S. military installations abroad and U.S. diplomatic facilities are **not part of the United States within the meaning of the 14th Amendment**. A child born on the premises of such a facility is not subject to U.S. jurisdiction and does not acquire U.S. citizenship by reason of birth."

The U.S. got right to occupy the Canal Zone under the Hay-Bunau-Varilla Treaty, signed on November 18, 1903 (two weeks after Panama's independence from Colombia). Under the Treaty terms, the United States received rights (by treaty not by territorial right) to an area around the canal zone, extending six miles on either side of the canal route in perpetuity (still not our territory); Panama was to receive a payment from US up to \$10 million and an annual rental payments of \$250,000. A nation does not pay annual rent on its own territory.

The U.S. Foreign Affairs Manual further states in 7 FAM 1131.6-2 '*Eligibility for Presidency*':

a. **It has never been determined definitively by a court whether a person who acquired U.S. citizenship by birth abroad to U.S. citizens is a natural born citizen within the meaning of Article II of the Constitution and, therefore, eligible for the Presidency.**

This above statement in the FAM conflicts with the statement in the non-binding [SR 511](#):

"Whereas previous presidential candidates were born outside of the United States of America and were understood to be eligible to be President..."

This statement is untrue and *again* a deliberately misleading statement. "Understood to be eligible" does not indicate any finding of qualification and only indicates that there were some born outside the United States who were on the ballot, but were never challenged. We have never, ever had a President who was born outside U.S. Territory - once again a deliberately misleading representation - fraud.

The truth is John McCain obtained his citizenship by statute, by U.S. statute, [8 U.S.C. § 1403](#) . and not by any "natural means" involving any direct tie with U.S. soil and society, which may seem unfair, but it is what the founders sought to preclude with the phrase "natural born citizen". "Until August 4, 1937, there was no special law relating to Americans born in Panama," as indicated by [7 FAM 1131.9\(d\)](#). That Naturalization Act on August 4, 1937, only 25 days short of being a full year after John McCain’s birth, was represented in statute by [8 U.S.C. § 1403](#).



What is curious about S.R. 511 is, despite its deliberate intention to deceive; it still references the two requirements for being a natural born citizen: (1) **birth on U.S. soil** AND (2) **birth to two U.S. citizens**. Given this recognition of the qualifications, which are implied but misrepresented in application to McCain, it is highly likely that numerous persons in the Senate participated in this fraud, including John McCain himself. I cannot ever give any faith or credit to those who would knowingly and deliberately undermine our Constitution.



Senate Bill S. 2678
“Children of Military Families Natural Born Citizen Act”

It seems that Senator Claire McCaskill (D-MO) was a very civic-minded person at this time. Only 5 weeks before McCaskill sponsored SR 511, there was a Senate Bill McCaskill sponsored as well. Bill [S. 2678](#) attempted to change Article II, section 1, clause 5 of the U.S. Constitution with reference to the requirements of being a “natural born citizen” and hence; the entitlement to run for President of the United States.

S. 2678

Intro: Feb 28, 2008

- **Claire McCaskill** (D-MO) ←————→
- Patrick Leahy (D-VT) ←————→
- **Tom Coburn** (R-OK.) ←————→
- **Barack Obama** (D-IL) ←————→
- **Hillary Clinton** (D-NY) ←————→
- Jim Webb (D-VA)

S.R. 511

Intro: April 10, 2008

- **Claire McCaskill** (D-MO)
- **Tom Coburn** [R-OK]
- Robert Menéndez [D-NJ]
- **Barack Obama** [D-IL]
- **Hillary Clinton** [D-NY]

Sponsors of both SR 511 and S 2678 are above in **RED**.

McCaskill's bill S. 2678, "Children of Military Families Natural Born Citizen Act", attempted to redefine "natural born citizen" to include children born to United States citizens while serving overseas in the military are eligible to become President.

Conclusion

S. 2678 is very disturbing for two reasons. First, the sole intention of the legislation is to modify the Constitution by statute. This is a direct and unabashed violation of the only acceptable means to alter the Constitution by amendment, detailed in Article V of the Constitution itself. Furthermore, it is a breach of the balance of power between the 3 branches, with the Legislative branch attempting to define the qualifications of the Executive Office, under the false application of its legitimate authority "to establish a uniform rule of naturalization." It should be clearly evident that the definition of "natural born" has nothing whatsoever to do with naturalization law, but rather a natural, self-evident status upon birth where no contrived law is involved.

Second, and even more importantly, S. 2678, shows that several persons in the Senate *clearly knew* that, John McCain was ineligible to become President, given the understanding of Article II, Section 1, Clause 4, "natural born citizen". This becomes even more evident given that the non-binding resolution, SR-511, follows right on the heels of the failed S. 2678, with both initiatives involving largely the same Senate persons, including the same sponsor, Claire McCaskill, and the same subject matter!

The sponsorship of both bills, by H. Clinton, B Obama, and T Coburn, in addition to McCaskill, indicates very strong probability that these Senators made knowingly false statements in S.R. 511, claiming John McCain to be a natural born citizen - Fraud. It is a further concern is the curious involvement of predominantly Democratic Senators, and their uncommon "bipartisanship" in consideration of McCain, with Obama among them and his own failed qualification for Office established by *known facts*.

Examining these events outside any partisan framing and justification, one is faced with what appears to be a deliberate intention to overwhelm the 2008 elections with two unqualified candidates, and to blur and confuse recognition of what constitutes qualification for the Office of President.

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