

HR 3484

Prompt Utilization of Wireless Spectrum Act of 2001

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet. (Dec 28, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Tauzin, W. J. (Billy) [R-LA-3]

Party: Republican • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Dec 13, 2001
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-9]	R · WI		Dec 13, 2001
Rep. Thomas, William M. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		Dec 13, 2001
Rep. Boucher, Rick [D-VA-9]	D · VA		Dec 18, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 13, 2001
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 28, 2001
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 13, 2001
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 13, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Prompt Utilization of Wireless Spectrum Act of 2001 - Approves the settlement reached in NextWave Personal Communications Inc., and NextWave Power Partners Inc., v. Federal Communications Commission and the United States of America. Authorizes and appropriates funds to pay the settlement which requires NextWave's complete relinquishment of any and all claims related to designated licenses or the covered spectrum within 10 days of final bankruptcy settlement approval. Earmarks a portion of such settlement as a nonrefundable advance tax payment.

Sets forth provisions governing the subsequent disposition of such licenses through the implementation of auction 35, including bid, payment, ability to withdraw and/or receive refunds, expedited judicial review, and limitations on administrative or judicial review of Commission decisions, determinations, and orders.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 28, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet.
- **Dec 14, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2318)
- **Dec 13, 2001:** Introduced in House
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