

HR 3590

Electronic Marketplace Ownership Disclosure Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commerce

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection. (Dec 28, 2001)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 28, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commerce

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary

(as of Dec 20, 2001)

Electronic Marketplace Ownership Disclosure Act - Directs the Federal Trade Commission to require an operator of an electronic marketplace to provide clear and conspicuous disclosure to the public through the Internet concerning: (1) the identity of any marketplace affiliate; (2) contact information, or a website link, from which a marketplace participant may obtain additional information about such affiliates; (3) the usual or customary financial arrangements under which the largest portion of marketplace participants are permitted to participate; (4) any unusual or special financial arrangements under which a smaller number of marketplace participants are accorded special privileges or benefits; and (5) the identity of any persons or entities with whom the operator has unusual or special financial arrangements.

Grants the FTC regulatory and enforcement authority.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 28, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
- **Dec 20, 2001:** Introduced in House
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- **Dec 20, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2383)
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