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HJRES 72

Disapproving the rule submitted by the Federal Communications Commission with respect to broadcast media ownership.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

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Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 SJRES 17	Identical bill	Sep 16, 2003: Held at the desk.

Summary (as of Oct 16, 2003)

Disapproves the rule submitted by the Federal Communications Commission and received by Congress on July 10, 2003, relating to broadcast media ownership.

Actions Timeline

- Oct 27, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet.
- Oct 16, 2003: Introduced in House
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- Oct 16, 2003: Referred to the House Committee on Energy, and Commerce to the public.