

HR 4072

To direct the Federal Trade Commission to revise the do-not-call telemarketing rules to prohibit calls from certain political organizations to persons on the national do-not-call registry.

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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. (Nov 4, 2005)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 4, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 18, 2005)

Directs the Federal Trade Commission to prohibit, as an abusive telemarketing act or practice, telephone calls from any political organization to persons on the "do-not-call" registry more than 30 days before a primary or general election.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 4, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
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