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# HR 5319

Deleting Online Predators Act of 2006

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

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Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and

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Rep. Bass, Charles F. [R-NH-2]	R · NH		Jun 20, 2006
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	$R \cdot TN$		Jun 20, 2006
Rep. Bradley, Jeb [R-NH-1]	$R \cdot NH$		Jun 20, 2006
Rep. Hayworth, J. D. [R-AZ-5]	$R \cdot AZ$		Jun 20, 2006
Rep. Rogers, Mike J. [R-MI-8]	$R \cdot MI$		Jun 20, 2006
Rep. Doolittle, John T. [R-CA-4]	$R \cdot CA$		Jun 22, 2006
Rep. Schwarz, John J.H. "Joe" [R-MI-7]	$R \cdot MI$		Jun 26, 2006
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Rep. Kelly, Sue W. [R-NY-19]	$R \cdot NY$		Jul 20, 2006
Rep. Gerlach, Jim [R-PA-6]	$R \cdot PA$		Jul 24, 2006
Rep. Putnam, Adam H. [R-FL-12]	R·FL		Jul 24, 2006

### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 27, 2006
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jul 11, 2006

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

## **Policy Area:**

Science, Technology, Communications

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Jul 26, 2006)

Deleting Online Predators Act of 2006 - Amends the Communications Act of 1934 to require schools and libraries that receive universal service support to enforce a policy that: (1) prohibits access to a commercial social networking website or chat room unless used for an educational purpose with adult supervision; and (2) protects against access to visual depictions that are obscene, child pornography, or harmful to minors. Allows an administrator, supervisor, or other authorized person to disable such a technology protection measure during use by an adult, or by minors with adult supervision, to enable access for educational purposes.

Directs the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to: (1) issue a consumer alert regarding use of the Internet by child predators and the potential dangers to children because of such use, including the potential dangers of commercial social networking websites and chat rooms; and (2) establish a website resource of information for parents, teachers, school administrators, and others regarding potential dangers posed by the use of the Internet by children.

## **Actions Timeline**

- Jul 27, 2006: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
- Jul 26, 2006: Mr. Upton moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- Jul 26, 2006: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5883-5889)
- Jul 26, 2006: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5319.
- Jul 26, 2006: At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- Jul 26, 2006: Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5900)
- Jul 26, 2006: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 410 15 (Roll no. 405).(text: CR H5883-5884)
- Jul 26, 2006: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Jul 26, 2006: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 410 15 (Roll no. 405). (text: CR H5883-5884)
- Jul 11, 2006: Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- Jun 27, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H4651)
- May 15, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet.
- May 9, 2006: Introduced in House
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- May 9, 2006: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.