

HR 5912

Truth in Video Game Rating Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 1, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 3935	Related bill	Sep 26, 2006: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
109 HR 6113	Related bill	Sep 25, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
109 HR 6120	Related bill	Sep 25, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.

Truth in Video Game Rating Act - Requires the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) to prescribe rules to prohibit as an unfair and deceptive act or practice: (1) providing a content rating of any video or computer game labeled for sale or distribution in interstate commerce without having reviewed the game's content in its entirety; (2) withholding, hiding, or failing to disclose any content of such a game to the person assigning such rating; or (3) providing a rating that grossly mischaracterizes a game's content.

Requires the Comptroller General to study and report to Congress on game content ratings systems and related questions.

### **Actions Timeline**

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