

S 678

A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to exclude communications over the Internet from the definition of public communication.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Mar 17, 2005

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. (text of measure as introduced)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3058) (Mar 17, 2005)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]

Party: Democratic • **State:** NV • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Coburn, Tom [R-OK]	R · OK		Apr 28, 2005
Sen. Burns, Conrad R. [R-MT]	R · MT		Jun 14, 2005
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Jul 29, 2005
Sen. Dayton, Mark [D-MN]	D · MN		Dec 14, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules and Administration Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 18, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 1606	Related bill	Mar 13, 2006: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 211.
109 HR 1605	Identical bill	Apr 13, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.

Summary (as of Mar 17, 2005)

Amends the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to exclude communications over the Internet from the meaning of public communication subject to the Act.

Actions Timeline

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