

## S 2469

### Protecting Consumers through Proper Forbearance Procedures Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Science, Technology, Communications

**Introduced:** Dec 13, 2007

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (Dec 13, 2007)

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### Sponsor

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 13, 2007

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

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### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 3914	Identical bill	<b>Jul 22, 2008:</b> Subcommittee Hearings Held.

### Summary (as of Dec 13, 2007)

Protecting Consumers through Proper Forbearance Procedures Act - Amends the Communications Act of 1934 to require the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to grant or deny, within one year, a petition by one or more telecommunications carriers or classes of carriers requesting that the FCC forbear from applying any regulation or provision under the Act. (Current law deems such a petition granted if not denied within one year.)

### Actions Timeline

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