

## HR 248

Robo Calls Off Phones (Robo COP) Act

**Congress:** 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Jan 5, 2007

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection. (Feb 2, 2007)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/house-bill/248>

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 2, 2007

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

### Related Bills

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Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 4298	Related bill	<b>Dec 5, 2007:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.

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### Summary (as of Jan 5, 2007)

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Robo COP Act: Robo Calls Off Phones - Directs the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), notwithstanding any other provision of law, to revise the do-not-call registry provisions of the Telemarketing Sales Rule to prohibit politically-oriented recorded message telephone calls to telephone numbers listed on that registry.

Defines politically-oriented recorded message telephone call.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 2, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
- **Jan 5, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 5, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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