

HR 3871

e-KIDS Act of 2007

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet. (Oct 18, 2007)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 18, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 17, 2007)

e-Keep the Internet Decent and Safe Act of 2007 or the e-KIDS Act of 2007 - Amends the Communications Act of 1934 to prohibit schools with computers having Internet access from receiving discount access rates for services unless it certifies to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) that, as part of its policy of Internet safety for minors, it is educating minors about appropriate online behavior, including interacting with other individuals on social networking websites and in chat rooms and cyberbullying awareness and response.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 18, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet.
- **Oct 17, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 17, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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