

## HR 81

### Amateur Radio Emergency Communications Enhancement Act of 2011

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

**Introduced:** Jan 5, 2011

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology. (Feb 1, 2011)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/house-bill/81>

## Sponsor

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 1, 2011

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 191	Related bill	Jun 13, 2011: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 74.

## Summary (as of Jan 5, 2011)

Amateur Radio Emergency Communications Enhancement Act of 2011 - Directs the Secretary of Homeland Security (DHS) to: (1) study the uses and capabilities of amateur radio communications in emergencies and disaster relief; (2) use the expertise of the American Radio Relay League in the study; and (3) report to Congress.

## Actions Timeline

- **Feb 1, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
- **Jan 5, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 5, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.