

HR 1174

Law Enforcement Access to Data Stored Abroad Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations. (Mar 31, 2015)

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Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Apr 30, 2015
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Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]	R · MN		May 22, 2015
Rep. Williams, Roger [R-TX-25]	R · TX		May 22, 2015
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Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Jun 8, 2015
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Jun 8, 2015
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Rep. Young, David [R-IA-3]	R · IA		Jul 8, 2015
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Rep. Barton, Joe [R-TX-6]	R · TX		Jul 31, 2015

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Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Jul 31, 2015
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-3]	R · MO		Jul 31, 2015
Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Jul 31, 2015
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Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Sep 24, 2015
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Sep 24, 2015
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Sep 24, 2015
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Oct 1, 2015
Rep. Garrett, Scott [R-NJ-5]	R · NJ		Oct 1, 2015
Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Oct 1, 2015
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Rep. Jordan, Jim [R-OH-4]	R · OH		Oct 1, 2015
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Oct 1, 2015
Rep. Rothfus, Keith J. [R-PA-12]	R · PA		Oct 1, 2015
Rep. Loudermilk, Barry [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Oct 9, 2015
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Oct 9, 2015
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Michael G. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Oct 23, 2015
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Oct 23, 2015
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Oct 23, 2015
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		Nov 4, 2015
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Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Nov 4, 2015
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Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Nov 5, 2015
Rep. Graham, Gwen [D-FL-2]	D · FL		Nov 5, 2015
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Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Nov 16, 2015
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Nov 16, 2015
Rep. Takai, Mark [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Nov 16, 2015
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Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Fleischmann, Charles J. "Chuck" [R-TN-3]	R · TN		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Zeldin, Lee M. [R-NY-1]	R · NY		Nov 19, 2015

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Del. Plaskett, Stacey E. [D-VI-At Large]	D · VI		Dec 11, 2015
Rep. Brooks, Susan W. [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Dec 11, 2015
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Dec 11, 2015
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Dec 11, 2015
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Dec 11, 2015
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Feb 24, 2016
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Feb 24, 2016
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Feb 24, 2016
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Feb 24, 2016
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Feb 24, 2016
Rep. Bridenstine, Jim [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Mar 21, 2016
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Apr 14, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 31, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 512	Identical bill	Feb 12, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Law Enforcement Access to Data Stored Abroad Act

Amends the federal criminal code to authorize a governmental entity to require the disclosure by a provider of electronic communication service or remote computing service of the contents of a wire or electronic communication that is in electronic storage with or otherwise stored, held, or maintained by the provider only pursuant to a warrant issued by a court of competent jurisdiction.

Authorizes such a warrant to require such disclosure regardless of where such contents may be in electronic storage or otherwise stored, held, or maintained by the provider if the holder of the account the contents of which are sought by the warrant is a U.S. person. Requires a court, on a service provider's motion, to modify or vacate such a warrant upon finding that it would require the provider to violate the laws of a foreign country.

Sets forth requirements for government notification of provider customers or subscribers regarding the receipt of communication contents pursuant to such a warrant.

Directs the Attorney General to: (1) establish a form for use by a foreign government filing a mutual legal assistance treaty (MLAT) request; (2) establish an online docketing system for all MLAT requests; and (3) publish statistics annually on MLAT requests made by the Department of Justice (DOJ) to foreign governments, and by foreign governments to DOJ, to obtain the contents of communications or other information or records from a provider of electronic communications or remote computing services.

Expresses the sense of Congress that: (1) data localization requirements imposed by foreign governments on data providers are incompatible with the borderless nature of the Internet, an impediment to online innovation, and unnecessary to meet the needs of law enforcement; and (2) DOJ, the Department of State, and the U.S. Trade Representative should pursue open data flow policies with foreign nations.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 31, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Feb 27, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 27, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.