

HR 2592

To amend the Communications Act of 1934 to require the Federal Communications Commission to publish on the website of the Commission documents to be voted on by the Commission.

Congress: 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

Introduced: Jun 1, 2015

Current Status: Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 30 - 22.

Latest Action: Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 30 - 22. (Apr 28, 2016)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/2592>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-16]

Party: Republican • **State:** IL • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Jun 1, 2015

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 5, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 2583	Related bill	Nov 17, 2015: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Summary (as of Jun 1, 2015)

Prohibits the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) from adopting orders, decisions, reports, or actions by vote of the FCC unless the chairman causes the text to be published on the FCC's website not later than: (1) 24 hours after such text is circulated for review by the commissioners, or (2) 21 days before the vote.

Exempts from such text publication requirements a portion of a document likely to lead to the disclosure of certain classified national defense or foreign policy matters, internal personnel practices, trade secrets, personal information, investigatory records for law enforcement, or other deliberation information exempt from disclosure under federal administrative procedure laws.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 28, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 28, 2016:** Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 30 - 22.
- **Apr 27, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 25, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 5, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
- **Jun 1, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 1, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.