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Botnet Prevention Act of 2016

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Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 16, 2016)

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This bill amends the federal criminal code to expand prohibited conduct and increase criminal penalties with respect to cybercrime involving damage to computer networks.

Actions Timeline

- **May 18, 2016:** Committee on the Judiciary Subcommittee on Crime and Terrorism. Hearings held.
- **May 16, 2016:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 16, 2016:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.