

S 3062

A bill to require the Federal Trade Commission to consider including smart grid capability on Energy Guide labels for products.

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (Jun 15, 2016)

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 114 S 2012 | Related bill | Sep 8, 2016: Conference held. |
| 114 HR 8 | Related bill | Dec 7, 2015: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. |
| 114 HR 2245 | Related bill | May 15, 2015: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Power. |

Summary (as of Jun 15, 2016)

This bill amends the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to direct the Federal Trade Commission to initiate a rulemaking to consider including a special note prominently on any Energy Guide label for a product that contains Smart Grid technology. The note should include that: (1) the product features Smart Grid capability, and (2) the use and value of that feature depends upon the Smart Grid capability of the utility system and the utilization of that feature by the customer.

Actions Timeline

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