

HR 3864

Effective Assistance of Counsel in the Digital Era Act

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 4324	Related bill	Feb 3, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

Summary (as of Oct 29, 2015)

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This bill prohibits any person acting under the authority of the United States from monitoring any electronic communication by a prisoner in a Bureau of Prisons correctional facility if such communication is subject to attorney-client privilege. This does not apply to any communications the Department of Justice has reason to believe pose a threat to national security.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 23, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Oct 29, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 29, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.