

HJRES 131

Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Federal Communications Commission relating to "Restoring Internet Freedom".

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology. (Mar 30, 2018)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** PA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 30, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 SJRES 52	Identical bill	May 16, 2018: Held at the desk.
115 HJRES 129	Identical bill	Mar 2, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.

Summary (as of Mar 29, 2018)

This joint resolution nullifies the rule submitted by the Federal Communications Commission entitled "Restoring Internet Freedom." The rule published on February 22, 2018: (1) restores the classification of broadband Internet access service as a lightly-regulated "information service"; (2) reinstates private mobile service classification of mobile broadband Internet access service; (3) requires Internet service providers to disclose information about their network management practices, performance characteristics, and commercial terms of service; and (4) eliminates the Internet Conduct Standard and the bright-line rules.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 30, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
- **Mar 29, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 29, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.