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Email Privacy Act

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115 HR 6147	Related bill	Sep 7, 2018: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
115 HR 387	Identical bill	Feb 7, 2017: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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This bill amends the federal criminal code to revise provisions that limit an electronic communication service (ECS) or remote communication service (RCS) provider from disclosing the contents of a wire or electronic communication that is in electronic storage.

Additionally, it revises the standards for the government to compel an ECS or RCS provider to disclose contents of a wire or electronic communication or noncontent records or information pertaining to a subscriber or customer.

An ECS or RCS provider may notify a subscriber or customer of the receipt of a warrant, court order, subpoena, or request, unless the government obtains an order for delayed notification.

The bill revises the process for obtaining a delayed notification order and lengthens the maximum duration of a delayed notification order.

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