

## S 2210

### FCC CIO Parity Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Science, Technology, Communications

**Introduced:** Dec 7, 2017

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (Dec 7, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/2210>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** KS • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor              | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
|------------------------|---------------|------|-------------|
| Sen. Udall, Tom [D-NM] | D · NM        |      | Dec 7, 2017 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee                                       | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee | Senate  | Referred To | Dec 7, 2017 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

### Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship   | Last Action                                                                                                                       |
|-------------|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 115 HR 4986 | Related bill   | <b>Mar 7, 2018:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. |
| 115 HR 2546 | Identical bill | <b>May 19, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.                                               |

## **FCC CIO Parity Act**

This bill requires the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to ensure that its Chief Information Officer has a significant role in: (1) the decision-making process for annual and multi-year planning, programming, budgeting, execution decisions, and reports related to information technology; (2) the management, governance, and oversight processes related to information technology; and (3) the hiring of personnel with information technology responsibilities.

The Chief Information Officer must consult with the FCC Chief Financial Officer and budget officials to specify and approve the allocation of amounts appropriated to the FCC for information technology.

## **Actions Timeline**

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