

HR 4814

Community Broadband Act of 2018

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 19, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill amends the Telecommunications Act of 1996 to bar states from prohibiting their state government, a political subdivision, or an Indian tribe from providing (i.e., serving as a "public provider" of) high-speed broadband telecommunications capabilities or services to persons or public or private entities.

A public provider that regulates competing private providers of such telecommunications services may not discriminate in favor of itself or a provider that it owns.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 19, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
- **Jan 17, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 17, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.