

## HR 1079

### CASES Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Feb 7, 2019

**Current Status:** Became Public Law No: 116-50.

**Latest Action:** Became Public Law No: 116-50. (Aug 22, 2019)

**Law:** 116-50 (Enacted Aug 22, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/1079>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Graves, Garret [R-LA-6]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Feb 7, 2019
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Feb 11, 2019
Rep. Taylor, Van [R-TX-3]	R · TX		Feb 11, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jun 25, 2019
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 435	Related bill	<b>Feb 11, 2019:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

## Creating Advanced Streamlined Electronic Services for Constituents Act of 2019 or the CASES Act

This bill directs the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to require each federal agency to accept electronic identity proofing and authentication processes that allow an individual, under the Privacy Act, to access the individual's records or to provide prior written consent for the disclosure of the individual's records.

The OMB must (1) create a template for electronic consent and access forms, and (2) require each agency to accept such forms from any individual properly identity proofed and authenticated.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Aug 22, 2019:** Signed by President.
- **Aug 22, 2019:** Became Public Law No: 116-50.
- **Aug 13, 2019:** Presented to President.
- **Aug 1, 2019:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 31, 2019:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S5275)
- **Jul 31, 2019:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S5275)
- **Jun 25, 2019:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Reported by Senator Johnson without amendment. With written report No. 116-50.
- **Jun 25, 2019:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 127.
- **May 15, 2019:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Feb 12, 2019:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
- **Feb 11, 2019:** Ms. Hill (CA) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Feb 11, 2019:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H1502-1504)
- **Feb 11, 2019:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 1079.
- **Feb 11, 2019:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Feb 11, 2019:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H1504)
- **Feb 11, 2019:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 379 - 0 (Roll no. 77).(text: CR H1502)
- **Feb 11, 2019:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 379 - 0 (Roll no. 77). (text: CR H1502)
- **Feb 11, 2019:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 7, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 7, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Reform.

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