

HR 1361

Blockchain Promotion Act of 2019

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

Introduced: Feb 26, 2019

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

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology. (Feb 27, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Feb 26, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 27, 2019
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 26, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 553	Related bill	Dec 17, 2019: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 373.

Summary (as of Feb 26, 2019)

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This bill directs the Department of Commerce to establish the Blockchain Working Group to submit a report to Congress which contains a recommended definition of the distributed ledger technology commonly referred to as blockchain technology, and other specified recommendations regarding this technology.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 27, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
- **Feb 26, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 26, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.