

HR 530

Accelerating Broadband Development by Empowering Local Communities Act of 2019

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

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

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology. (Jan 25, 2019)

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Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Jan 25, 2019 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 116 S 2012 | Related bill | Jun 27, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. |

Summary (as of Jan 14, 2019)

Accelerating Broadband Development by Empowering Local Communities Act of 2019

This bill nullifies rules issued by the Federal Communications Commission that revoke state and local authority to regulate telecommunications equipment deployment.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 25, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
- **Jan 14, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 14, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.