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Own Your Own Data Act

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Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Kennedy, John [R-LA]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 14, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 14, 2019)

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This bill requires a social media company to (1) provide a user with the ability to obtain and export their user data, along with any analysis of such data by the company; and (2) ensure that each user knowingly and willingly licenses their data to the company during the registration of an account.

Actions Timeline

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