

## HR 8515

### Don't Push My Buttons Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Science, Technology, Communications

**Introduced:** Oct 2, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (Oct 2, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/8515>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gabbard, Tulsi [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Oct 2, 2020
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Oct 9, 2020
Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]	R · AR		Oct 16, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 2, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 4756	Identical bill	Sep 29, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

### Summary (as of Oct 2, 2020)

#### Don't Push My Buttons Act

This bill establishes an exception to the immunity of a provider of an interactive computer service (e.g., a social media company) from liability for screening and blocking offensive content on its platform.

Specifically, the bill removes this immunity from any provider that collects information regarding the habits, preferences, or beliefs of a user and utilizes an automated function to deliver content based on that information, unless the user knowingly and intentionally elects to receive such content.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Oct 2, 2020:** Introduced in House
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