

## HR 5439

### KIDS Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Commerce

**Introduced:** Sep 30, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce. (Oct 1, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/5439>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]

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

### Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Wexton, Jennifer [D-VA-10]	D · VA		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Nov 4, 2021
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		Dec 2, 2021
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Jan 18, 2022
Rep. Morelle, Joseph D. [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Jan 28, 2022
Rep. Newman, Marie [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Feb 25, 2022
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		May 6, 2022

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 1, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Commerce

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2918	Related bill	<b>Sep 30, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

## **Kids Internet Design and Safety Act or the KIDS Act**

This bill prohibits operators of commercial online platforms that are directed to children from engaging in certain practices, including implementing features that encourage additional engagement with the platform, promoting certain types of content, and using certain advertising methods.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Oct 1, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.
- **Sep 30, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 30, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.