

## HR 1343

ITS Codification Act

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Mar 3, 2023

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transp

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (Apr 26, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/1343>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Pettersen, Brittany [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Mar 3, 2023
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Mar 22, 2023

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 26, 2023
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Reported by	Mar 8, 2023

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 3781	Related bill	<b>Feb 8, 2024:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

## Institute for Telecommunication Sciences Codification Act or the ITS Codification Act

This bill provides statutory authority for the Institute for Telecommunication Sciences, which serves as the telecommunications research and engineering arm of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration.

In addition, the institute must establish an initiative to support the development of emergency communication and tracking technologies for use in locating trapped individuals in confined spaces where conventional radio communication is limited.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 26, 2023:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
- **Apr 25, 2023:** Mr. Latta moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Apr 25, 2023:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H1924-1925)
- **Apr 25, 2023:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 1343.
- **Apr 25, 2023:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H1924)
- **Apr 25, 2023:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H1924)
- **Apr 25, 2023:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 24, 2023:** Reported by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 118-40.
- **Apr 24, 2023:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 26.
- **Mar 24, 2023:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 24, 2023:** Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 49 - 0.
- **Mar 23, 2023:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 8, 2023:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 8, 2023:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by the Yeas and Nays: 27 - 0 .
- **Mar 3, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 3, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
- **Mar 3, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.