

HR 1677

SMART Spectrum Act

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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. (Mar 31, 2023)

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 31, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Science, Technology, Communications

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 21, 2023)

Simplifying Management, Access, Reallocation, and Transfer of Spectrum Act or the SMART Spectrum Act

This bill requires the National Telecommunications and Information Administration to implement an incumbent informing capability in its regulation of the electromagnetic spectrum. The bill also outlines minimum requirements for the capability that address protection of classified information and other matters.

Incumbent informing capability is a mechanism that facilitates the sharing of spectrum allocated for both federal and nonfederal uses; it enables federal users to reliably inform nonfederal users when and where the federal systems are operating in order to manage harmful interference between the federal and nonfederal uses.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 31, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
- **Mar 21, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 21, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.