

HR 4510

NTIA Reauthorization Act of 2024

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Science, Technology, Communications

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Latta, Robert E. [R-OH-5]

Party: Republican • State: OH • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Jul 10, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 16, 2024
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Reported by	Jul 12, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

National Telecommunications and Information Administration Reauthorization Act of 2023 or the NTIA Reauthorization Act of 2023

This bill reauthorizes the National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) through FY2025 and modifies its structure and functions.

Specifically, the bill promotes the head of the NTIA to an Under Secretary of the Department of Commerce. It also provides statutory authority for two NTIA offices focused on public safety communications and international telecommunications policy, respectively.

Further, the bill provides statutory authority for the NTIA Office of Spectrum Management and otherwise revises the management of spectrum resources (electromagnetic frequencies used to transmit signals and data, including wireless internet). For example, the bill (1) sets out procedures for disclosing federal concerns and related information regarding spectrum actions, and (2) requires the NTIA to develop technologies and carry out other activities to enhance efficiency in the use of spectrum resources and facilitate sharing of the resources.

In addition, the bill expands the role of the NTIA with respect to cybersecurity. This includes requiring the NTIA to

- carry out a cybersecurity literacy campaign,
- report on the information and communications technology supply chain and the cybersecurity of mobile networks, and
- provide technical assistance and outreach to small communications providers concerning Open RAN networks and other open network architectures.

The NTIA also must (1) develop and implement a strategy to close the digital divide, and (2) establish an interagency process (that replaces the Committee for the Assessment of Foreign Participation in the U.S. Telecommunications Services Sector, formerly known as Team Telecom) to consider the law enforcement and national security implications of foreign ownership interests when licensing or authorizing telecommunications systems and infrastructure.

Actions Timeline

- **May 16, 2024:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
- **May 15, 2024:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H3253-3254)
- **May 15, 2024:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 374 - 36 (Roll no. 205). (text: 5/14/2024 CR H3014-3025)
- **May 15, 2024:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 374 - 36 (Roll no. 205). (text: 5/14/2024 CR H3014-3025)
- **May 15, 2024:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 14, 2024:** Mr. Latta moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **May 14, 2024:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H3014-3027)
- **May 14, 2024:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 4510.
- **May 14, 2024:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Oct 25, 2023:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 118-249.
- **Oct 25, 2023:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 199.
- **Jul 27, 2023:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 27, 2023:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 48 - 0.
- **Jul 12, 2023:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote.
- **Jul 12, 2023:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Jul 10, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 10, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
- **Jul 10, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.