

116TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 3836

To amend section 332 of the Communications Act of 1934 to include public safety requirements in terms and conditions States may require of mobile services.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 18, 2019

Ms. ESHOO (for herself, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. KHANNA, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. ROUDA, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mr. COX of California, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. PANETTA, Ms. HILL of California, Mr. CISNEROS, Ms. LEE of California, and Mr. MCNERNEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Wireless Infrastructure
5 Resiliency during Emergencies and Disasters Act” or the
6 “WIRED Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REGULATORY TREATMENT OF MOBILE SERVICES.**

2 Section 332(c)(3)(A) of the Communications Act of
3 1934 (47 U.S.C. 332(c)(3)(A)) is amended by inserting
4 after “other terms and conditions of commercial mobile
5 services” the following: “including reasonable require-
6 ments to promote resilient wireless communications infra-
7 structure for situational awareness during a natural dis-
8 aster (as such term is defined in section 602 of the Robert
9 T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act
10 (42 U.S.C. 5195a(a)(2)))”.

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