110TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

S. 2297

To require the FCC to conduct an economic study on the impact that low-power FM stations will have on full-power commercial FM stations.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 1, 2007

Ms. SNOWE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

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. FCC STUDY ON IMPACT OF LPFM ON FULL-
- 4 POWER COMMERCIAL FM STATIONS.
- 5 (a) In General.—Not later than 18 months after
- 6 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Federal Commu-
- 7 nications Commission shall conduct and complete an eco-
- 8 nomic study on the impact that low-power FM stations
- 9 will have on full-power commercial FM stations.

- 1 (b) Submission to Congress.—The Federal Com-
- 2 munications Commission shall submit a report to the
- 3 Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation of
- 4 the Senate and the Committee on Energy and Commerce
- 5 of the House of Representatives on the findings of the

6 study required under subsection (a).

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