

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5239

To amend the Federal Trade Commission Act to permit the Federal Trade Commission to enforce such Act against certain common carriers.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 13, 2016

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 “Protecting Consumers
5 in Commerce Act of 2016”.

6 **SEC. 2. AUTHORITY OF FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**
7 **OVER CERTAIN COMMON CARRIERS.**

8 Section 4 of the Federal Trade Commission Act (15
9 U.S.C. 44) is amended by striking the undesignated para-

1 graph relating to the definition of the term “Acts to regu-
2 late commerce” and inserting the following:

3 “‘Acts to regulate commerce’ means subtitle IV of
4 title 49, United States Code, and all Acts amendatory
5 thereof and supplementary thereto.”.

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