

117TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 4475

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

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 16, 2021

Mr. MCNERNEY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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## 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 2021”.

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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