

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5255

To amend the Federal Trade Commission Act to permit the Federal Trade Commission to enforce such Act against certain tax-exempt organizations.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 16, 2016

Mr. RUSH 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. AUTHORITY OF FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**
4 **OVER CERTAIN TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZA-**
5 **TIONS.**

6 Section 4 of the Federal Trade Commission Act (15
7 U.S.C. 44) is amended, in the undesignated paragraph re-
8 lating to the definition of the term “Corporation”—

9 (1) by striking “, and any” and inserting “,
10 any”; and

1 (2) by inserting before the period at the end the
2 following: “, and any organization described in sec-
3 tion 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986
4 that is exempt from taxation under section 501(a) of
5 such Code”.

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