

115TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 1754

To amend the Federal Trade Commission Act to clarify the scope of the exception for common carriers.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 28, 2017

Mr. LATTA (for himself and Mr. OLSON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## A BILL

To amend the Federal Trade Commission Act to clarify the scope of the exception for common carriers.

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. CLARIFICATION OF SCOPE OF COMMON CAR-**  
4 **RIER EXCEPTION.**

5 The Federal Trade Commission Act (15 U.S.C. 41  
6 et seq.) is amended—

7 (1) in section 5(a)(2), by inserting “insofar as  
8 they are” after “common carriers”; and

9 (2) in section 6—

- 1 (A) by inserting “insofar as they are” after
- 2 “common carriers” each place it appears; and
- 3 (B) by inserting “insofar as it is” after
- 4 “common carrier” each place it appears.

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