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113TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. _____

To prohibit the National Telecommunications and Information Administration from relinquishing responsibilities with respect to Internet domain name functions.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

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 “Internet Stewardship
5 Act of 2014”.

1 **SEC. 2. NTIA PROHIBITED FROM RELINQUISHING DNS RE-**
2 **SPONSIBILITIES.**

3 The Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Commu-
4 nications and Information may not relinquish or agree to
5 relinquish the responsibilities of the National Tele-
6 communications and Information Administration with re-
7 spect to Internet domain name functions, including re-
8 sponsibility with respect to the authoritative root zone file,
9 the Internet Assigned Numbers Authority functions, or
10 the related root zone management functions, unless such
11 relinquishment is permitted by a statute enacted after the
12 date of the enactment of this Act.