

116TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 8896

To repeal section 230 of the Communications Act of 1934 (commonly referred to as the Communications Decency Act) to stop censorship, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 8, 2020

Mr. GOHMERT (for himself, Mr. BIGGS, Mr. McCLINTOCK, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. GOODEN, Mr. KING of Iowa, and Mr. KELLY of Mississippi) 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 “Abandoning Online
5 Censorship Act” or the “AOC Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF SECTION 230 OF THE COMMUNICATIONS**
2 **ACT OF 1934 (COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS**
3 **THE COMMUNICATIONS DECENCY ACT).**

4 (a) SECTION 230 OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF
5 1934.—Effective as of enactment of this language, section
6 230 of the Communications Act of 1934 (47 U.S.C.
7 230(c)) is repealed.

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