Purpose: To amend the Federal Trade Commission Act to establish procedures for the treatment of votes by departed Commissioners.


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To amend section 13 of the Federal Trade Commission Act to provide for equitable relief, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _________ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. Moran (for himself and Mr. Cruz)

Viz:

At the end, add the following:

SEC. 3. TREATMENT OF VOTES BY DEPARTED FTC COMMISSIONERS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—The first section of the Federal Trade Commission Act (15 U.S.C. 41) is amended by inserting before the last sentence the following new sentence:

“Any vote by a Commissioner on a motion before the Commission for which voting has not closed as of the end of the last day of the Commissioner’s service on the Commission shall have no effect after such date.”.
(b) Retroactive Effective Date.—The amendment made by this section shall apply to any vote taken by a Commissioner on or after January 1, 2021.