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## Rep. Marino Statement on International Communications Privacy Act

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Washington D.C.—Congressman Tom Marino, PA-10, Lycoming County issued the following statement following the Department of Justice's petition seeking Supreme Court review of the Microsoft warrant case, in which the 2nd Circuit ruled that U.S. law does not extend warrants extraterritorially.

"Whether or not the Supreme Court decides to hear this case it is abundantly clear that congress should be progressing along with technological advancements. Congress can and should modernize digital data laws, ensure law enforcement can access evidence in a timely manner, and protect people's rights.

"The United States' digital data laws have not been updated in 30 years and we are now in need of a modern framework, such as my legislation introduced last Congress, the International Communications Privacy Act (ICPA), that establishes a legal standard for accessing all electronic communications. I intend to continue working with the other members of Congress in creating an updated, working data framework that will ensure the American people's safety as well as our privacy."

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Congressman Marino is currently serving his fourth term in the House of Representatives. He serves as Chairman of the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Regulatory Reform, Commercial and Antitrust Law and also sits on the House Committee on Foreign Affairs as well as the Committee on Homeland Security.





