



For 210 years, the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the oldest legislative standing committee in the U.S. House of Representatives, has served as the principal guide for the House in matters relating to the promotion of commerce and to the public's health and marketplace interests. Congressman Lee Terry is proud to currently serve on the committee in the 112th Congress.

Today, the Committee on Energy and Commerce maintains principal responsibility for legislative oversight relating to telecommunications, consumer protection, food and drug safety, public health, air quality and environmental health, the supply and delivery of energy, and interstate and foreign commerce in general. Congressman Terry currently serves on the following: Subcommittee on Communications and Technology (Vice Chair), Subcommittee on Energy and Power, and Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations (Vice Chair – Communications and Technology).

- Committee on Energy & Commerce

Subcommittee on Communications and Technology

Jurisdiction: Interstate and foreign telecommunications including, but not limited to, all telecommunication and information transmission by broadcast, radio, wire, microwave, satellite, and other mode.

- o Subcommittee on Energy and Power

§ Jurisdiction: National energy policy generally; Fossil energy, renewable energy resources and synthetic fuels, energy conservation, energy information; Energy regulation and utilization; Utility issues and regulation of nuclear facilities; Interstate energy compacts; Nuclear energy; The Clean Air Act and air emissions; and, All laws, programs, and government activities affecting such matters.

- o Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations

§ Jurisdiction: Responsibility for oversight of agencies, departments, and programs within the

jurisdiction of the full committee, and for conducting investigations within such jurisdiction.
A more in-depth history of the committee can be found by following this link: <http://energycommerce.house.gov/about/about.shtml>