

HR 1085

Mining Claim Maintenance Act of 2001

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Rahall, Nick J., II [D-WV-3]

Party: Democratic • **State:** WV • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 20, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 15, 2001)

Mining Claim Maintenance Act of 2001 - Requires: (1) the holder of each unpatented mining claim, mill, or tunnel site (except for certain patent applicants and claimants holding ten or fewer mining claims) to pay to the Secretary of the Interior an annual claim maintenance fee of \$100 per claim in lieu of specified statutory assessment work requirements; and (2) the locator of every unpatented mining claim, mill, or tunnel site to pay a location fee of \$25 per claim in addition to the claim maintenance fee.

Prohibits the issuance of any Federal mining patent or mill site claim, unless: (1) the patent application was filed on or before September 30, 1994; and (2) specified requirements for vein or lode claims and placer claims were fully complied with.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 20, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
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