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# S 1959

A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of the former Eagledale Ferry Dock in the State of Washington for potential inclusion in the National Park System.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Feb 15, 2002

Current Status: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 641.

Latest Action: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 641. (Oct 8, 2002)

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### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]

Party: Democratic • State: WA • Chamber: Senate

#### **Cosponsors** (1 total)

| Cosponsor                   | Party / State | Role | Date Joined  |
|-----------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA] | D · WA        |      | Feb 15, 2002 |

# **Committee Activity**

| Committee                              | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
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| Energy and Natural Resources Committee | Senate  | Reported By | Oct 8, 2002 |

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

Public Lands and Natural Resources

#### **Related Bills**

| Bill        | Relationship | Last Action   |
|-------------|--------------|---|
| 107 HR 3747 | Related bill | Dec 19, 2002: Became Public Law No: 107-363.              |
| 107 S 1894  | Related bill | Nov 22, 2002: Message on Senate action sent to the House. |

### **Summary** (as of Oct 8, 2002)

Directs the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of the former Eagledale Ferry Dock located at Taylor Avenue in Bainbridge Island, Washington, and the historical events associated with it (Japanese American residents of the Island who were sent to internment camps in 1942 boarded a ferry to those camps from such Dock) to evaluate and report to specified congressional committees on its national significance and the suitability and feasibility of designating it as a unit of the National Park System. Authorizes appropriations.

## **Actions Timeline**

- Oct 8, 2002: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Bingaman with an amendment. Without written report.
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- Oct 8, 2002: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 641.
- Oct 4, 2002: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- Feb 15, 2002: Introduced in Senate
- Feb 15, 2002: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.