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S 2899

Atchafalaya National Heritage Area Act

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Sep 3, 2002

Current Status: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 666.

Latest Action: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 666. (Oct 8, 2002)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]

Party: Democratic • State: LA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Breaux, John B. [D-LA]	D · LA		Sep 3, 2002

Committee Activity

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

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 8, 2002)

Atchafalaya National Heritage Area Act - Establishes the Atchafalaya National Heritage Area in Louisiana. Designates the Atchafalaya Trace Commission as the local coordinating entity of such Area which shall develop and implement an Area management plan for the protection, interpretation, and enjoyment of such Area, subject to the Secretary of the Interior's approval.

Prohibits the use of Federal funds to acquire real property.

Limits Federal cost sharing to 50 percent. Authorizes appropriations. Terminates cost sharing after FY 2017.

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 4, 2002: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- Sep 3, 2002: Introduced in Senate
- Sep 3, 2002: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8096-8098)
- Sep 3, 2002: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8098-8099)