

## HR 3299

Homestake Mine Conveyance Act of 2001

**Congress:** 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

**Introduced:** Nov 15, 2001

**Current Status:** Executive Comment Requested from EPA.

**Latest Action:** Executive Comment Requested from EPA. (Nov 28, 2001)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Thune, John [R-SD-At Large]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** SD • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 16, 2001

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Nov 15, 2001)

Homestake Mine Conveyance Act of 2001 - Prescribes procedural guidelines for the conveyance of certain portions of the Homestake Mine to the State of South Dakota, including assumption of liability by the United States for specified damages, reclamation, and hazardous substance response.

Requires the State of South Dakota to establish an Environment and Project Trust Fund to pay for designated expenses including environmental cleanup, remediation, and hazardous substance removal.

States that this Act shall be effective contingent upon the selection of the Mine by the National Science Foundation as a national underground scientific laboratory site.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Nov 28, 2001:** Executive Comment Requested from EPA.
- **Nov 16, 2001:** Referred to the House Committee on Resources.
- **Nov 15, 2001:** Introduced in House
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- **Nov 15, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2100)