

HR 5177

To provide for the use and distribution of the funds awarded to the Gila River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community under United States Court of Federal claims Docket Nos. 236-C, 236-D, 236-N, and 228, and for other purposes.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Native Americans

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** AZ • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 22, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Native Americans

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 22, 2002)

Gila River Indian Community Judgment Fund Distribution Act of 2002 - Requires the per capita distribution of funds paid in settlement of claims made in Docket Nos. 236-C and 236-D, Gila River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community V. United States, to enrolled members of the Gila River Indian Community.

Requires the Community to prepare a payment roll according to specified criteria.

Directs the Secretary of the Interior to disburse funds within 30 days after Community approval of the payment roll.

Makes special provision for deceased or legally incompetent individuals and minors.

Permits payments of eligible individuals not on the roll out of residual funds and Community-owned funds, as specified.

Revises the treatment of minors' per capita shares and final disbursement of judgment funds awarded in Dockets 228 and 236-N.

Waives repayment of expert assistance loans to the Gila River Indian Community, the Oglala Sioux Tribe, and the Seminole Nation of Oklahoma, as specified.

Actions Timeline

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