

HR 5608

Comprehensive Wildlife Disease Testing Acceleration Act of 2002

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Chamber: House Policy Area: Animals Introduced: Oct 10, 2002

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition and Forestry. (Oct 21,

2002)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 21, 2002
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Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 21, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Animals

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 S 3090	Identical bill	Oct 17, 2002: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S10655)

Summary (as of Oct 10, 2002)

Comprehensive Wildlife Disease Testing Acceleration Act of 2002 - Directs the Secretary of Agriculture, with respect to chronic wasting disease (a disease affecting deer and elk), to: (1) issue guidelines for animal tissue collecting and laboratory testing; (2) establish a laboratory certification and inspection program; and (3) accelerate testing research.

Establishes the Interagency Task Force on Epizootic Hemorrhagic Disease to coordinate epizootic hemorrhagic disease (a disease affecting deer and other wild ruminants) prevention activities.

Actions Timeline

- Oct 21, 2002: Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans.
- Oct 21, 2002: Referred to the Subcommittee on Livestock and Horticulture.
- Oct 21, 2002: Referred to the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition and Forestry.
- Oct 10, 2002: Introduced in House
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