

HR 1289

National Parks Institute Act

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Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Current Status: Subcommittee Hearings Held.

Latest Action: Subcommittee Hearings Held. (Jul 15, 2003)

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 31, 2003
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jul 15, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 13, 2003)

National Parks Institute Act - Directs the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Director of the National Park Service, to establish the National Parks Institute to: (1) train future executives in the complex management issues that confront national parks; (2) promote scientific research to support decision making in national parks; (3) promote stewardship through consultation, cooperation, and communication, all in the service of conservation; (4) promote and develop environmentally sustainable resource management practices; and (5) develop and promote a sophisticated program to help developing nations manage their natural and cultural resources.

Requires the Institute to be located on the campus of the University of California at Merced, California. Authorizes the Secretary to lease or acquire a facility for the Institute or to construct a facility if a suitable facility is not available.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 15, 2003:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 31, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.
- **Mar 20, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands.
- **Mar 20, 2003:** Executive Comment Requested from Interior.
- **Mar 13, 2003:** Introduced in House
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