

HR 2142

To amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to repeal the long-term goal for reducing to zero the incidental mortality and serious injury of marine mammals in commercial fishing operations, and to modify the goal of take reduction plans for reducing such takings.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: May 15, 2003

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans. (Jun 3, 2003)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 3, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 15, 2003)

Amends the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to repeal the long-term goal of reducing to zero the incidental mortality and serious injury of marine mammals in commercial fishing operations. Modifies the long-term goal to reducing such incidental mortality and serious injury (but not to any specified percentage).

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 3, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans.
- **May 15, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **May 15, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Resources.

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