

HR 2619

Kilauea Point National Wildlife Refuge Expansion Act of 2004

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Law: 108-481 (Enacted Dec 23, 2004)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-2]

Party: Democratic • State: HI • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Abercrombie, Neil [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Sep 23, 2003
Rep. Souder, Mark E. [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Apr 1, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Dec 9, 2004
Natural Resources Committee	House	Reported by	Apr 22, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the House on June 3, 2004. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Kilauea Point National Wildlife Refuge Expansion Act of 2004 - Allows the Secretary of the Interior to acquire by donation, purchase with donated or appropriated funds, or exchange, all or a portion of specified lands or interest in such lands for inclusion in the Kilauea Point National Wildlife Refuge, Hawaii.

Requires all acquisitions of land or waters under this Act to: (1) be made in a voluntary manner; and (2) not be the result of forced takings.

Provides that, in addition to the purposes of the Refuge under other laws regulations, Executive orders, and comprehensive conservation plans, the Refuge shall be managed for: (1) the protection and recovery of endangered Hawaiian water birds and other endangered birds, including the Nene (Hawaiian goose); and (2) the conservation and management of native coastal strand, riparian, and aquatic biological diversity.

Declares that nothing in this Act shall be considered to affect certain policies or requirements under the National Wildlife Refuge Administration Act of 1966 to treat compatible wildlife-dependent recreational uses as priority general public uses of the Refuge.

Allows the Secretary, in the administration of the Refuge, to use such additional statutory authority available to the Secretary for the conservation of fish and wildlife and the provision of opportunities for fish- and wildlife-dependent recreation to carry out this Act.

Authorizes appropriations.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 23, 2004:** Signed by President.
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- **Dec 23, 2004:** Became Public Law No: 108-481.
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- **Dec 16, 2004:** Presented to President.
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- **Dec 9, 2004:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Dec 8, 2004:** Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S12019)
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- **Dec 8, 2004:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.
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- **Jul 20, 2004:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
- **Jul 19, 2004:** Mr. Hayworth moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jul 19, 2004:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5932-5933)
- **Jul 19, 2004:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 2619.
- **Jul 19, 2004:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5932)
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- **Jul 19, 2004:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 3, 2004:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Resources. H. Rept. 108-522.
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- **Jun 3, 2004:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 301.
- **May 19, 2004:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 19, 2004:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.
- **Apr 22, 2004:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 22, 2004:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.
- **Sep 25, 2003:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Jul 3, 2003:** Executive Comment Requested from Interior.
- **Jul 3, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans.
- **Jun 26, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **Jun 26, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1365)
- **Jun 26, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Resources.