

HR 4588

Lower Rio Grande Valley Water Resources Conservation and Improvement Act of 2004

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Water Resources Development

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Committee Activity

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| Natural Resources Committee | House | Discharged from | Sep 15, 2004 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

| Bill R | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 108 S 2564 R | Related bill | Jun 23, 2004: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. |

Lower Rio Grande Valley Water Resources Conservation and Improvement Act of 2004 - Amends the Lower Rio Grande Valley Water Resources Conservation and Improvement Act of 2000 to authorize specified additional projects, including projects for water conservation and improvement in Cameron, Hidalgo, Willacy, Hudspeth, and El Paso counties, Texas.

Permits each project that the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Commissioner of the Bureau of Reclamation, conducts or participates in to include: (1) the replacement of irrigation canals and lateral canals with buried pipelines; (2) the impervious lining of irrigation canals and lateral canals; (3) the installation of water level, flow measurement, pump control, and telemetry systems; (4) the renovation and replacement of pumping plants; and (5) other activities that will result in water conservation or an improved water supply. Authorizes the Secretary to transfer and use for another such project up to ten percent of amounts made available for a project.

Reauthorizes appropriations for Lower Rio Grande construction.

Actions Timeline

- Oct 7, 2004: Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Resources. H. Rept. 108-758.
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- Oct 7, 2004: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 470.
- Sep 15, 2004: Subcommittee on Water and Power Discharged.
- Sep 15, 2004: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Sep 15, 2004: Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.
- Jul 8, 2004: Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- Jun 21, 2004: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water and Power.
- Jun 16, 2004: Introduced in House
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- Jun 16, 2004: Referred to the House Committee on Resources.