

## S 502

A bill to amend the Safe Drinking Water Act to designate perchlorate as a contaminant and to establish a maximum contaminant level for perchlorate.

**Congress:** 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

**Introduced:** Mar 3, 2003

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Mar 3, 2003)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/senate-bill/502>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 3, 2003

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Environmental Protection

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Mar 3, 2003)

Amends the Safe Drinking Water Act to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to designate perchlorate as a contaminant and to establish a maximum contaminant level that provides an adequate margin of safety for vulnerable populations.

### Actions Timeline

- **Mar 3, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 3, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3035)
- **Mar 3, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.