

S 551

Southern Ute and Colorado Intergovernmental Agreement Implementation Act of 2004

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Campbell, Ben Nighthorse [R-CO]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 4, 2003
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Reported By	Nov 19, 2003
Natural Resources Committee	House	Reported By	Sep 30, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 1484	Identical bill	Apr 10, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality.

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the Senate on November 19, 2003. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Southern Ute and Colorado Intergovernmental Agreement Implementation Act of 2004 - Authorizes the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to treat the Southern Ute Indian Tribe as a State for purposes of implementing and enforcing air quality control programs for their Reservation, as developed in the Intergovernmental Agreement.

Authorizes the Tribe or the Environmental Commission established by the Tribe and the State of Colorado to bring a civil action for declaratory or injunctive relief or other enforcement orders in the U.S. District Court for the District of Colorado if any person fails to comply with a final civil order of the Tribe or Commission under specified air quality provisions.

Retains the right of any individual to seek injunctive relief to immediately restrain a pollution source which is presenting an imminent and substantial endangerment to public health or welfare under the emergency powers provision of the Clean Air Act (CAA).

Provides for appellate review by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit of any decision by the Commission that would be subject to review if made by the Administrator.

States that nothing in this Act modifies the CAA, specified law concerning tribal boundaries and jurisdiction, or related administrative rules or affects or influences past or prospective judicial interpretations of such laws.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 18, 2004:** Signed by President.
- **Oct 18, 2004:** Became Public Law No: 108-336.
- **Oct 7, 2004:** Presented to President.
- **Oct 4, 2004:** Reported by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 108-712, Part II.
- **Oct 4, 2004:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 444.
- **Oct 4, 2004:** Mr. Bilirakis moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Oct 4, 2004:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7976-7977)
- **Oct 4, 2004:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 551.
- **Oct 4, 2004:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H7976)
- **Oct 4, 2004:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H7976)
- **Oct 4, 2004:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 30, 2004:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Sep 30, 2004:** Reported by the Committee on Resources. H. Rept. 108-712, Part I.
- **Sep 15, 2004:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 15, 2004:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 4, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality.
- **Nov 25, 2003:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Nov 25, 2003:** Received in the House.
- **Nov 25, 2003:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
- **Nov 21, 2003:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S15502-15503; text of measure as reported in Senate: CR S15502; text as passed Senate: CR S15502-15503)
- **Nov 21, 2003:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S15502-15503; text of measure as reported in Senate: CR S15502; text as passed Senate: CR S15502-15503)
- **Nov 19, 2003:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Reported by Senator Inhofe with an amendment. With written report No. 108-201.
- **Nov 19, 2003:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 401.
- **Jul 30, 2003:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- **Mar 6, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 6, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3275)
- **Mar 6, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3275-3276)

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