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HR 852

Environmental Health Research Act of 2003

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Chamber: House
Policy Area: Health
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 10, 2003
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 27, 2003
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 27, 2003
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 4, 2003
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship Last Action
108 S 1588	Identical bill Sep 5, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S11167-11169)

Summary (as of Feb 13, 2003)

Environmental Health Research Act of 2003 - Amends the Public Health Service Act to require the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences to make grants for the development and operation of not more than six centers to conduct multidisciplinary research on environmental factors that may be related to the development of women's health conditions. Requires each center to conduct basic and clinical research, develop training protocols, conduct training, develop model continuing education programs, and disseminate information to professionals and the public, with priority to prevention activities. Requires each center to: (1) collaborate with community organizations; and (2) use the facilities of a single institution or be formed from a consortium of institutions. Limits support to five years but allows extensions under specified circumstances. Authorizes appropriations.

Requires the Director of the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences to establish a comprehensive research program on the impact and occurrence of hormone disrupting chemicals as they affect human, ecological, and wildlife health.

Requires the program to: (1) compile scientifically valid information, with an emphasis on the effect of low doses during critical life stages and the extent of human and wildlife exposure; (2) research the mechanisms by which such chemicals interact with biological systems as well as their screening and tracking; and (3) include the participation of the U.S. Geological Survey.

Directs the Secretary of Health and Human Services to establish the Hormone Disruption Research Interagency Commission.

Establishes a Hormone Disruption Research Panel within the Institute.

Actions Timeline

- Mar 10, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- Mar 4, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Research.
- Mar 4, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment, Technology, and Standards.
- Feb 27, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- Feb 27, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans.
- Feb 27, 2003: Executive Comment Requested from Interior.
- Feb 13, 2003: Introduced in House
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- Feb 13, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E243-244)
- Feb 13, 2003: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Resources, and Science, 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.
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