

HR 954

Miami Nation of Indiana Recognition Confirmation Act

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Policy Area: Native Americans

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 27, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Native Americans

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 27, 2003)

Miami Nation of Indiana Recognition Confirmation Act - Confirms Federal recognition of the Miami Nation of Indiana Tribe.

Grants eligibility to the Tribe and its members to all Federal services and benefits furnished to federally recognized Indian tribes residing on a reservation.

Requires the Secretary of the Interior to process the Tribe's application for trust status for lands located within the Tribe's service area under the Secretary's regulations for "on-reservation" acquisitions.

Exempts the Tribe from the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, subjecting it to State and local gaming laws.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 10, 2003:** Executive Comment Requested from Interior.
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- **Feb 27, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Resources.