

## S 1016

### Desalination Water Supply Shortage Prevention Act of 2005

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Water Resources Development

**Introduced:** May 12, 2005

**Current Status:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 109-314.

**Latest Action:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 109-314. (Oct 20, 2005)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/senate-bill/1016>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Martinez, Mel [R-FL]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** FL • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Oct 19, 2005
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Nov 18, 2005

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Oct 20, 2005

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Water Resources Development

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 1071	Related bill	<b>May 26, 2006:</b> Committee on Energy and Commerce discharged.

### Summary (as of May 12, 2005)

Desalination Water Supply Shortage Prevention Act of 2005 - Requires the Secretary of Energy to make specified incentive payments to the owners or operators of qualified desalination facilities (facilities first used to produce desalinated water after enactment of this Act) for up to ten years to partially offset the cost of electrical energy required to operate such facilities.

### Actions Timeline

- **Oct 20, 2005:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 109-314.
- **May 12, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 12, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

# LegiList

CONGRESS, MADE CLEAR.

## Search Every Federal Bill, Law, and Vote

LegiList is the fastest way to research Congress. Track any bill from introduction to enactment, see how every legislator voted, follow committee activity, and read the full text of every bill — all in one place, always up to date.

[legiList.com](https://legiList.com)

## Free Course: Learn How Congress Actually Works

LegiList Learn is a free, self-paced course that walks through the entire legislative process — from drafting a bill to a presidential signature. Seven modules, plain language, no politics. Earn a certificate when you finish.

[legiList.com/learn](https://legiList.com/learn)

## Developer API: Build Apps on Legislative Data

The LegiList API gives developers direct access to bills, votes, legislators, committees, and more. Start free with 1,000 requests per day — no credit card required. Upgrade to Pro when you need to scale.

[legiList.com/api](https://legiList.com/api)

Public data belongs to the public. — [legiList.com](https://legiList.com)