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Mohawk River Hydroelectric Projects Licensing Act of 2005

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Sep 21, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 4375	Identical bill	Dec 2, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality.

Mohawk River Hydroelectric Projects Licensing Act of 2005 - Prohibits the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) from issuing a new license for a hydroelectric project on the Mohawk River in New York if the project has been operating under annual licenses for 10 or more years, unless FERC: (1) issues a public notice that it will accept other valid license applications to develop the project works or water resource; and (2) approves a license application, according to the requirements of this Act, if other valid license applications are submitted.

Sets forth processing and approval procedures.

Requires any new power license issued for such project to include the same license conditions relating to the use of affected waters as provided in the license for a specified Potomac Light & Power Company Project.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 21, 2006:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water and Power. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 109-781.
- **Nov 18, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Nov 18, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.