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# S 2159

A bill to provide for reimbursement of the cost of certain projects at the Fern Ridge Dam, Oregon.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Water Resources Development

Introduced: Dec 21, 2005

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Dec 21, 2005)

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### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]

Party: Republican • State: OR • Chamber: Senate

#### **Cosponsors** (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	$D \cdot OR$		Dec 21, 2005

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 21, 2005

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

Water Resources Development

## **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Dec 21, 2005)

Requires the repairs initiated at Fern Ridge Dam, Oregon, during FY2005 to be considered to be a dam safety project (as that term is defined by the Chief of Engineers), and the cost of such repairs to be reimbursable under the Water Resources Development Act of 1986 (except the portion allocated to irrigation as a project benefit).

## **Actions Timeline**

- Dec 21, 2005: Introduced in Senate
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