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Champlain Valley National Heritage Partnership Act of 2005

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]

**Party:** Independent • **State:** VT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Feb 8, 2005
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Mar 15, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 203	Related bill	Oct 12, 2006: Became Public Law No: 109-338.

Champlain Valley National Heritage Partnership Act of 2005 - Establishes the Champlain Valley National Heritage Partnership within the States of Vermont and New York.

Directs the Partnership's management entity, the Lake Champlain Basin Program, to develop a management plan for the Partnership (for the Secretary of Interior's approval) that includes: (1) recommendations for funding, managing, and developing the Partnership; (2) a description of activities to be carried out by public and private organizations to protect the Partnership's resources; (3) an assessment of the organizational capacity of the Program to achieve the goals for implementation; and (4) recommendations for collaboration with Canada and the Province of Quebec in implementing this Act.

Authorizes the Program to enter into partnerships with, and make grants to, various public and private entities to carry out this Act. Allows the Secretary to provide assistance to carry out this Act.

Prohibits the Program from using Federal funds made available by this Act to acquire real property or any interest in real property.

Prohibits Federal assistance under this Act after 15 years after its enactment.

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### **Actions Timeline**

- **Mar 15, 2005:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on National Parks. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 109-28.
- **Feb 8, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 8, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1136-1137)
- **Feb 8, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1137-1138)