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HR 631

Pascua Yaqui Mineral Rights Act of 2006

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Feb 8, 2005

Current Status: Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Cale

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Calendar No. 608. (Sep 13, 2006)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]

Party: Democratic • State: AZ • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Pastor, Ed [D-AZ-4]	$D \cdot AZ$		Apr 21, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Reported By	Sep 6, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 1291	Companion bill	Jul 29, 2005: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 186.

Pascua Yaqui Mineral Rights Act of 2006 - Directs the Secretary of the Interior, in coordination with the U.S. Attorney General and with the consent of the state of Arizona, to acquire through eminent domain all subsurface rights, title, and interests (including subsurface mineral interests) held by the state in certain parcels of land in Pima County, Arizona, owned by the Pascua Yaqui Tribe, as well as such interests held by the state in certain land held in trust for the Tribe. Conditions such acquisition on the Tribe's agreement to reimburse the Secretary fully for all related costs.

Requires the Secretary also to take into trust for the Tribe's benefit the subsurface rights, title, and interests, formerly reserved to the United States, to certain other parcels. Requires the Tribe to pay only the transaction costs relating to the assessment, review, and transfer of such subsurface rights, title, and interests.

Actions Timeline

- Sep 13, 2006: Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 608.
- Sep 12, 2006: Mr. Radanovich moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- Sep 12, 2006: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6383-6384)
- Sep 12, 2006: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 631.
- Sep 12, 2006: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H6383-6384)
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- Sep 12, 2006: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Sep 6, 2006: Reported by the Committee on Resources. H. Rept. 109-621.
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- Sep 6, 2006: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 361.
- Jul 19, 2006: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Jul 19, 2006: Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- Feb 8, 2005: Introduced in House
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- Feb 8, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Resources.