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Voluntary Public Access and Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program Act of 2007

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Policy Area:

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 2473	Identical bill	Jun 26, 2007: Executive Comment Requested from USDA.

Summary (as of May 24, 2007)

Voluntary Public Access and Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program Act of 2007 - Amends the Food Security Act of 1985 to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to establish a program under which states and tribal governments may apply for grants to encourage owners and operators of privately-held farm, ranch, and forest land to voluntarily make such land available for public access for wildlife-dependent recreation (including hunting or fishing) under state- and tribally-administered plans.

Amends the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to exclude from excess base acreage computation for direct and counter-cyclical payment purposes certain conservation enrolled farm land not planted in an agricultural commodity.

Actions Timeline

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