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National Geologic Mapping Reauthorization Act of 2007

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Bennett, Robert F. [R-UT]	R · UT		Jan 10, 2007
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		Jan 10, 2007
Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY]	R · KY		Jan 10, 2007
Sen. Domenici, Pete V. [R-NM]	R · NM		Jan 10, 2007
Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY]	R · WY		Jan 10, 2007
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Jan 10, 2007
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	R · AK		Jan 10, 2007
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Jan 30, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Reported By	Feb 15, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 5171	Related bill	Feb 1, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

National Geologic Mapping Reauthorization Act of 2007 - Amends the National Geologic Mapping Act of 1992 to extend deadlines for development of a five-year strategic plan for the geologic mapping program and for appointment of the advisory committee.

Removes from program objectives the development of a geophysical- and geochemical- map database. Directs that mapping priorities be based in part on the needs of the Department of the Interior land management agencies.

Modifies the composition of the advisory committee and increases the number of members on such committee. Requires the advisory committee to provide a scientific overview of geologic maps (including maps of geologic-based hazards) used or disseminated by federal agencies for regulation or land-use planning. Directs that the national geologic map database include all maps developed with funding provided by the National Cooperative Geologic Mapping Program, including under the federal, state, and education components.

Authorizes appropriations for each of FY2007 through FY2016. Increases the percentages allocated for the state and education components.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 15, 2007:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Bingaman without amendment. With written report No. 110-9.
- **Feb 15, 2007:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 34.
- **Jan 31, 2007:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Jan 10, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 10, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S381)
- **Jan 10, 2007:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (text of measure as introduced: CR S381-382)