

HR 2531

Improved Hurricane Tracking and Forecasting Act of 2007

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 1509	Related bill	May 24, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6870-6871)

Improved Hurricane Tracking and Forecasting Act of 2007 - Directs the Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) to carry out a program for an improved ocean surface winds vector satellite for purposes including: (1) to address science and application questions related to air-sea interaction and coastal circulation; (2) to improve forecasting for hurricanes, coastal winds and storm surge, and other weather-related disasters; (3) to ensure continuity of quality for satellite ocean surface vector wind measurements so that existing weather forecasting and warning capabilities are not degraded; and (4) to advance satellite ocean surface vector wind data capabilities.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 31, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics.
- **May 24, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **May 24, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Science and Technology.