

## HR 2627

Act Commemorating the LITE, or Lifetime Innovations of Thomas Edison

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**Chamber:** House

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

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### Sponsor

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**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NJ • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Andrews, Robert E. [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Garrett, Scott [R-NJ-5]	R · NJ		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]	D · NJ		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-13]	D · NJ		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jun 21, 2007
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Jun 21, 2007
Rep. Saxton, Jim [R-NJ-3]	R · NJ		Jul 10, 2007

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Apr 9, 2008
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 11, 2007

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 2329	Related bill	<b>Apr 9, 2008:</b> Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on National Parks. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 110-480.

Act Commemorating the LITE, or Lifetime Innovations of Thomas Edison - Establishes the Thomas Edison National Historical Park in New Jersey as a unit of the National Park System.

Specifies that the Historical Park shall be comprised of all property owned by the United States in the Edison National Historic Site as well as all property authorized to be acquired by the Secretary of the Interior for inclusion in the Historic Site before the enactment of this Act. Allows the Secretary to acquire: (1) land or interests in land within the Historical Park's boundaries only from willing sellers; and (2) personal property associated with, and appropriated for, interpretation of the Historical Park.

Permits the Secretary to consult and enter into cooperative agreements with interested entities and individuals to provide for the preservation, development, interpretation, and use of the Historical Park.

Repeals the Act regarding the establishment and administration of the Edison National Historic Site.

Authorizes appropriations.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 16, 2008:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Bingaman with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 110-388.
- **Jun 16, 2008:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 820.
- **May 7, 2008:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Apr 9, 2008:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Senate Subcommittee on National Parks. Hearings held.
- **Nov 14, 2007:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Nov 13, 2007:** Ms. Bordallo moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Nov 13, 2007:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H13525-13527)
- **Nov 13, 2007:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 2627.
- **Nov 13, 2007:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H13525-13526)
- **Nov 13, 2007:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H13525-13526)
- **Nov 13, 2007:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 11, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands.
- **Jun 7, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 7, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

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