

HR 7051

Georges Bank Preservation Act

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

Introduced: Sep 24, 2008

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources. (Sep 29, 2008)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** MA • **Chamber:** Senate

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| Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-9] | D · MA | | Sep 25, 2008 |
| Rep. Michaud, Michael H. [D-ME-2] | D · ME | | Sep 25, 2008 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Natural Resources Committee | House | Referred to | Sep 29, 2008 |
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 110 S 3576 | Identical bill | Sep 25, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. |

Summary (as of Sep 24, 2008)

Georges Bank Preservation Act - Prohibits the issuance of any lease or other authorization by the federal government for exploration, development, or production of oil or natural gas in: (1) any marine national monument or national marine sanctuary; or (2) the fishing grounds known as Georges Bank in the waters of the United States.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 29, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, and Oceans.
- **Sep 29, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Sep 25, 2008:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1973)
- **Sep 24, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 24, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

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