

## HR 2015

To instruct the Secretary of Energy to carry out a study on the use of thorium-fueled nuclear reactors.

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Energy

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### Sponsor

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### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 22, 2009

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Energy

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Apr 21, 2009)

Instructs the Secretary of Energy to study and report to Congress on the use of thorium-fueled nuclear reactors for national energy needs. Requires such report to include a response to the International Atomic Energy Agency study entitled "Thorium fuel cycle--Potential benefits and challenges" (IAEA-TECDOC-1450).

### Actions Timeline

- **Apr 22, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Environment.
- **Apr 21, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 21, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.