

## HR 2507

Native American Challenge Demonstration Project Act of 2009

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Native Americans

**Introduced:** May 19, 2009

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources. (May 19, 2009)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/house-bill/2507>

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### Committee Activity

| Committee                   | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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| Natural Resources Committee | House   | Referred To | May 19, 2009 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Native Americans

### Related Bills

| Bill      | Relationship   | Last Action   |
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| 111 S 980 | Identical bill | <b>Nov 18, 2010:</b> Committee on Indian Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably. |

Native American Challenge Demonstration Project Act of 2009 - Directs the Secretary of Commerce to establish and implement the Native American Millennium Challenge Demonstration Project through which federal economic development assistance may be provided for certain Native American communities.

Authorizes the Secretary to provide such assistance to Alaska Native nonprofit organizations, Native Hawaiian community organizations, and other Indian tribes that enter into Native American Challenge Compacts. Requires such Compacts to establish a multiyear plan for achieving certain development objectives, including promoting economic growth and the elimination of poverty, strengthening good governance, entrepreneurship, and investment in Native American communities, and enhancing the capacity of Alaska Native communities to deal with climate change.

### **Actions Timeline**

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