

S 3372

A bill to modify the date on which the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency and applicable States may require permits for discharges from certain vessels.

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

Introduced: May 13, 2010

Current Status: Became Public Law No: 111-215.

Latest Action: Became Public Law No: 111-215. (Jul 30, 2010)

Law: 111-215 (Enacted Jul 30, 2010)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/senate-bill/3372>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]

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

Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Begich, Mark [D-AK]	D · AK		May 13, 2010
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		May 13, 2010
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		May 13, 2010
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		May 13, 2010
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		May 13, 2010
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		May 13, 2010
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		May 13, 2010
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		May 13, 2010
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		May 13, 2010
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R · LA		May 13, 2010
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		May 13, 2010
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		May 17, 2010
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		May 17, 2010
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		May 19, 2010
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		May 20, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jun 18, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 5301	Identical bill	Jul 21, 2010: Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 472.

Summary (as of Jul 30, 2010)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Extends until December 18, 2013, provisions prohibiting the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), or a state with an approved National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit program under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (commonly known as the Clean Water Act), from requiring an NPDES permit for a covered vessel (a vessel that is less than 79 feet in length or a fishing vessel) for any discharge: (1) of effluent from properly functioning marine engines; (2) of laundry, shower, and galley sink wastes; or (3) that is incidental to the normal operation of a covered vessel.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 30, 2010:** Presented to President.
- **Jul 30, 2010:** Signed by President.
- **Jul 30, 2010:** Became Public Law No: 111-215.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Ms. Johnson, E. B. moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR 7/30/2010 6428-6429)
- **Jul 29, 2010:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 3372.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR 7/30/2010 H6428)
- **Jul 29, 2010:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR 7/30/2010 H6428)
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Cleared for White House.
- **Jul 15, 2010:** Received in the House.
- **Jul 15, 2010:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 15, 2010:** Held at the desk.
- **Jul 14, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S5867; text as passed Senate: CR S5867)
- **Jul 14, 2010:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S5867; text as passed Senate: CR S5867)
- **Jun 18, 2010:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Reported by Senator Boxer without amendment. With written report No. 111-209.
- **Jun 18, 2010:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 433.
- **May 20, 2010:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **May 13, 2010:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 13, 2010:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.