

## HR 5037

### Federal Research Public Access Act of 2009

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred to	May 26, 2010

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

## Related Bills

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Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 5253	Related bill	<b>May 6, 2010:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.
111 S 1373	Identical bill	<b>Jun 25, 2009:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

## Summary (as of Apr 15, 2010)

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Federal Research Public Access Act of 2009 [*sic*] - Requires each federal agency with extramural research expenditures of over \$100 million to develop a specified federal research public access policy that is consistent with and advances the purposes of the agency.

Makes each federal research public access policy applicable to: (1) researchers employed by the federal agency whose works remain in the public domain; and (2) researchers funded by the agency. Specifies exclusions.

Requires the submission of annual reports by each federal agency on its federal research public access policy.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 26, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Information Policy, Census, and National Archives.
- **Apr 15, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 15, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.