

HR 1333

Gulf Coast Economic and Tourism Restoration Act

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

Introduced: Apr 1, 2011

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment. (Apr 4, 2011)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]

Party: Republican • State: FL • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Southerland, Steve II [R-FL-2]	R · FL		Apr 1, 2011

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 4, 2011
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 4, 2011
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Gulf Coast Economic and Tourism Restoration Act - Establishes in the Treasury the Gulf Coast Economic Restoration Fund. Requires transfer into such Fund of not less than 40% of all amounts collected as federal penalties, settlements, or fines in relation to the Gulf of Mexico oil spill caused by the Deepwater Horizon drilling unit that began on April 20, 2010.

Establishes the Gulf Coast Economic Restoration Task Force. Directs the Task Force to use the Fund for activities related to Gulf coast economic development and tourism promotion, by way of grants to the Gulf states of Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Texas. Prohibits any state from receiving less than 5% or more than 30% of available amounts.

Requires a report from the governors of each Gulf state to Congress describing their use of such funds.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Apr 4, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy.
- **Apr 4, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Apr 4, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **Apr 4, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Apr 1, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 1, 2011:** Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.