

S 1795

A bill to require the Corps of Engineers to revise the Missouri River Mainstem Reservoir System Master Water Control Manual to ensure greater storage capacity to prevent serious downstream flooding.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Water Resources Development

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Nov 3, 2011)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 3, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Water Resources Development

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 2942	Related bill	Sep 16, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.

Summary (as of Nov 3, 2011)

Directs the Chief of Engineers to revise the Missouri River Mainstem Reservoir System Master Water Control Manual to ensure that the System's flood control storage allocation has been: (1) recalculated so that the flood control storage allocation is based on the vacated space required to control the largest flood experienced in the System and the associated serious downstream flooding; and (2) adjusted, prior to each runoff season, such that the space allocated for flood control purposes in the exclusive flood control zone and the annual flood control and multiple use regulation zone is increased by a quantity necessary to ensure that the storage capacity of the zones is adequate to avoid contributing to serious downstream flooding.

Actions Timeline

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