

S 2248

Fracturing Regulations are Effective in State Hands Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Energy

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (9 total)

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Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Mar 28, 2012
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Mar 28, 2012
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Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 28, 2012
Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL]	R · AL		Mar 28, 2012
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R · LA		Mar 28, 2012
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Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Apr 23, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 28, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 4322	Identical bill	Apr 16, 2012: Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands.

Fracturing Regulations are Effective in State Hands Act - Grants any state sole authority to promulgate or enforce any regulation, guidance, or permit requirement with regard to the underground injection of fluids or propping agents pursuant to the hydraulic fracturing process, or any component of such process, relating to oil, gas, or geothermal production activities on or under land within the boundaries of that state.

Makes the underground injection of fluids or propping agents pursuant to such process, or any components of such process, relating to oil, gas, or geothermal production activities on federal land subject to the law of the state in which that land is located.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 28, 2012:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 28, 2012:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2166-2167)
- **Mar 28, 2012:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2167-2168)