

HR 670

To convey certain submerged lands to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands in order to give that territory the same benefits in its submerged lands as Guam, the Virgin Islands, and American Samoa have in their submerged lands.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Feb 11, 2011

Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (Oct 4, 2011)

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Cosponsors (19 total)

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Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Feb 11, 2011
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Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Feb 11, 2011
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 4, 2011
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	Jun 15, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 590	Identical bill	May 18, 2011: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 112-39.

Summary (as of Oct 3, 2011)

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

Conveys to the government of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands submerged lands surrounding such Islands and extending three geographical miles outward from their coastlines.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 4, 2011:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Oct 3, 2011:** Mr. Bishop (UT) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Oct 3, 2011:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6480-6481)
- **Oct 3, 2011:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 670.
- **Oct 3, 2011:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Oct 3, 2011:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H6487)
- **Oct 3, 2011:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 397 - 0 (Roll no. 744). (text: CR H6480)
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- **Oct 3, 2011:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 20, 2011:** Reported by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 112-162.
- **Jul 20, 2011:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 107.
- **Jun 15, 2011:** Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, Oceans, and Insular Affairs Discharged.
- **Jun 15, 2011:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 15, 2011:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **May 12, 2011:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Feb 16, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, Oceans, and Insular Affairs.
- **Feb 11, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 11, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.