

HR 1823

PLAQ Act of 2013

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations. (Jun 14, 2013)

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Rep. Reichert, David G. [R-WA-8]	R · WA		Jun 12, 2013
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Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Jun 27, 2013
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Rep. Tipton, Scott R. [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Aug 1, 2013
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Nov 13, 2013

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 14, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 2530	Related bill	Jul 16, 2014: Committee on Environment and Public Works Senate Subcommittee on Water and Wildlife. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 113-772.

Summary (as of Apr 30, 2013)

Protecting Lakes Against Quaggas Act of 2013 or the PLAQ Act of 2013 - Amends the federal criminal code to prohibit the importation or shipment of the species of mussels of the genus *Dreissena* (thus covering quagga mussels). (Currently, the prohibition applies to only the zebra mussel of the species *Dreissena polymorpha*.)

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 14, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Apr 30, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 30, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.