

HR 2513

Fracturing Regulations are Effective in State Hands Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources. (Jul 3, 2013)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 26, 2013
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 28, 2013
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 3, 2013
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 27, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 1234	Identical bill	Jun 26, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

Summary (as of Jun 26, 2013)

Fracturing Regulations are Effective in State Hands Act - Grants any state sole authority to promulgate or enforce any regulation, guidance, or permit requirement regarding the treatment of a well by the application of fluids under pressure to which propping agents may be added for the expressly designed purpose of initiating or propagating fractures in a target geologic formation in order to enhance production of oil, gas, or geothermal production activities on or under land within the boundaries of that state.

Subjects such a well treatment on federal land to state law as well.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 3, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Jun 28, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy.
- **Jun 27, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Jun 26, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 26, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, Transportation and Infrastructure, and 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.