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## HR 2873

E3 Initiative Evaluation Act

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Commerce

**Introduced:** Jul 31, 2013

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Research and Technology.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Research and Technology. (Sep 24, 2013)

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### Sponsor

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**Party:** Democratic • **State:** CT • **Chamber:** House

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### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 13, 2013
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 31, 2013
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 2, 2013
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 24, 2013
Small Business Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 31, 2013

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### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Commerce

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### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

E3 Initiative Evaluation Act - Directs the Comptroller General (GAO) to conduct a study regarding coordination of executive branch activities related to the Economy, Energy, and Environment (E3) Initiative to Support Sustainable Manufacturing.

Requires the Comptroller General to evaluate: (1) the amount of resources used by the Departments of Commerce, Energy (DOE), Labor, and Agriculture (USDA), the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and the Small Business Administration (SBA) in supporting Initiative activities; (2) the results and accomplishments of the participating agencies' activities undertaken through the Initiative to assist interested stakeholders; (3) barriers to more effective coordination among the participating agencies; and (4) ways to increase effective assistance to the stakeholders.

Requires the federal agencies that participate in the Initiative to: (1) continue such participation under the same terms and conditions as specified in the memorandum of understanding signed by the agencies on September 10, 2010, for at least three years after enactment of this Act; and (2) report to Congress on the Initiative by March 31st of each year.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Sep 24, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Research and Technology.
- **Aug 13, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, and Nutrition.
- **Aug 2, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Power.
- **Jul 31, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 31, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology, Education and the Workforce, Small Business, and Agriculture, 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.