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Sage-Grouse Habitat Conservation and Restoration Act of 2014

Congress: 113 (2013–2015, Ended)
Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Environmental Protection
Introduced: Dec 12, 2014
Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Dec 12, 2014)
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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]
Party: Republican • **State:** UT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 13, 2014

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 12, 2014)

Sage-Grouse Habitat Conservation and Restoration Act of 2014 - Provides a categorical exclusion under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) for a vegetation management project by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) or the Forest Service involving removal or treatment of any Pinyon or Juniper tree to conserve or restore the habitat of the greater sage-grouse.

(Under NEPA a categorical exclusion is a category of actions which do not individually or cumulatively have a significant effect on the human environment and which have been found to have no such effect in procedures adopted by a federal agency in implementing environmental regulations and for which, therefore, neither an Environmental Assessment nor an Environmental Impact Statement is required.)

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 12, 2014:** Introduced in Senate
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