

## HR 524

To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to clarify that the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency does not have the authority to disapprove a permit after it has been issued by the Secretary of the Army under section 404 of such Act.

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Discharged from	Apr 9, 2014

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Environmental Protection

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 2156	Related bill	Mar 25, 2014: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
113 S 830	Related bill	Apr 25, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

## Summary (as of Jun 20, 2014)

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

Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (commonly known as the Clean Water Act) to remove the authority of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to prohibit the specification, or restrict the use, of an area as a disposal site for discharges of dredged or fill materials into waters of the United States once the Army Corps of Engineers has issued a permit for the discharge.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jun 20, 2014:** Reported by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H. Rept. 113-485.
- **Jun 20, 2014:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 361.
- **Apr 9, 2014:** Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment Discharged.
- **Apr 9, 2014:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 9, 2014:** Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 34 - 19.
- **Feb 7, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Feb 6, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 6, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation.