

HR 1364

Nuclear Waste Informed Consent Act

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Committee Activity

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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Mar 20, 2015 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 114 S 1825 | Related bill | Jul 22, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5456) |
| 114 S 691 | Identical bill | Mar 10, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1387) |

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This bill prohibits the Nuclear Regulatory Commission from authorizing construction of a nuclear waste repository unless the Secretary of Energy has entered into an agreement to host the repository with the following entities:

- the governor of the state in which the repository is proposed to be located,
- each affected unit of local government,
- any unit of general local government contiguous to the affected unit if spent nuclear fuel or high-level radioactive waste will be transported through that unit of general local government for disposal at the repository, and
- each affected Indian tribe.

Furthermore, any agreement to host the repository must meet the following conditions:

- it must be written and signed by all parties,
- it must be binding on the parties, and
- it shall not be amended or revoked except by mutual agreement of the parties.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 20, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy.
- **Mar 13, 2015:** Introduced in House
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