

## HR 1710

Drought Resilience Investment Act of 2015

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Water Resources Development

**Introduced:** Mar 26, 2015

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy. (Mar 27, 2015)

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### Sponsor

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### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Mar 26, 2015
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Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Apr 14, 2015

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 27, 2015
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 27, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Water Resources Development

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Drought Resilience Investment Act of 2015**

Amends the Water Resources Reform and Development Act of 2014 to exempt a water resources infrastructure project receiving federal credit assistance under the Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act, that is carried out in a state during any period in which a state of drought declaration issued by the state's governor is in effect, from the prohibition against being financed with proceeds of any: (1) obligation that is tax exempt; or (2) qualified tax credit bond or a Build America Bond.

Specifies that a state of drought declaration shall remain in effect until the date on which the governor rescinds the declaration.

Terminates this Act on September 30, 2018.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 27, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Mar 27, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy.
- **Mar 26, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 26, 2015:** Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on 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.