

HR 2111

Wasteful EPA Programs Elimination Act of 2015

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	May 27, 2015
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 1, 2015
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 18, 2015
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 30, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill terminates all existing grant programs of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), its National Clean Diesel Campaign, and its environmental justice programs. The EPA may not establish new grant programs.

Federal funds may not be used by the EPA:

- to implement any ozone standard promulgated after this bill's enactment date;
- to regulate greenhouse gas emissions from mobile sources, or from fossil fuel-fired electric utility generating units;
- for the Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program;
- for the Global Methane Initiative;
- for the Climate Resilience Fund;
- for the Climate Resilience Evaluation Awareness Tool;
- for the Green Infrastructure Program;
- for the Climate Ready Water Utilities Initiative; or
- for climate research at the EPA's Office of Research and Development.

The EPA must: (1) discontinue operation and maintenance of its field offices and activities carried out through those offices, and (2) dispose of or lease any underutilized property.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 18, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment.
- **May 27, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry.
- **May 1, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Power.
- **Apr 30, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Apr 29, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 29, 2015:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Agriculture, and Science, Space, and Technology, 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.