

S 2637

A bill to amend the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to clarify the treatment of authentic Alaska Native articles of handicraft containing nonedible migratory bird parts, and for other purposes.

Congress: 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Animals

Introduced: Mar 3, 2016

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. (Mar 3, 2016)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK]

Party: Republican • **State:** AK • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 3, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Animals

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 1729	Related bill	Apr 20, 2015: Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Lands.

Summary (as of Mar 3, 2016)

This bill amends the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to provide that nothing in such Act prohibits possessing, selling, bartering, purchasing, shipping, and transporting any authentic Alaska Native handicraft, clothing or art on the basis that it contains a non-edible migratory bird part, so long as the bird was not taken in a wasteful manner.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 3, 2016:** Introduced in Senate
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