

HR 2749

Dams Accountability, Maintenance, and Safety Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jun 25, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Water Resources Development

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 2898	Related bill	Oct 8, 2015: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 114-381.
114 HR 2983	Related bill	Aug 18, 2015: Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment.
114 S 1837	Related bill	Jul 22, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 S 1657	Identical bill	Jun 24, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

Summary (as of Jun 12, 2015)

Dams Accountability, Maintenance, and Safety Act

Amends the Reclamation Safety of Dams Act of 1978 to authorize the Department of the Interior, subject to a feasibility study, to develop additional project benefits (including additional conservation storage capacity) through the construction of new or supplementary works when it exercises its authority to modify Bureau of Reclamation dams and related facilities to preserve their structural safety, provided that: (1) the additional project benefits will promote more efficient management of water and water-related facilities, (2) the feasibility study is authorized under the Federal Water Project Recreation Act of 1965, and (3) the costs are allocated to the authorized purposes of the structure and repaid consistent with federal reclamation law.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 25, 2015:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Jun 12, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 12, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.
- **Jun 12, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans.