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Atlantic Seismic Airgun Protection Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Energy

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### Sponsor

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### Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Apr 21, 2016
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Apr 21, 2016
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	D · MD		Apr 21, 2016
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Apr 21, 2016
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Apr 25, 2016
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		May 9, 2016
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Sep 22, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 21, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Energy

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 5817	Identical bill	<b>Aug 4, 2016:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.

## **Atlantic Seismic Airgun Protection Act**

This bill amends the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act to prohibit conducting geological or geophysical activities in support of oil or gas exploration and development on the Atlantic Outer Continental Shelf.

The geological and geophysical activities are described in a final programmatic environmental impact statement by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management entitled "Atlantic OCS Proposed Geological and Geophysical Activities, Mid-Atlantic and South Atlantic Planning Areas."

## **Actions Timeline**

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