

S 2959

A bill to amend the White Mountain Apache Tribe Water Rights Quantification Act of 2010 to clarify the use of amounts in the WMAT Settlement Fund.

Congress: 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Native Americans

Introduced: May 19, 2016

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans. (Nov 15, 2016)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/senate-bill/2959>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Flake, Jeff [R-AZ]	R · AZ		May 19, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Indian Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Sep 27, 2016
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 15, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Native Americans

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 5433	Related bill	Jun 13, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans.

Summary (as of Sep 29, 2016)

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the Senate on September 27, 2016. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

(Sec. 1) This bill amends the White Mountain Apache Tribe Water Rights Quantification Act of 2010 to specify that settlement funds may be used for the planning, design, and construction of the tribe's rural water system.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 15, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans.
- **Nov 14, 2016:** Received in the House.
- **Nov 14, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.
- **Sep 29, 2016:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with amendments by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S6285)
- **Sep 29, 2016:** Passed Senate with amendments by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S6285)
- **Sep 29, 2016:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Reported by Senator Barrasso with amendments. With written report No. 114-363.
- **Sep 27, 2016:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 651.
- **Sep 7, 2016:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Ordered to be reported with amendments favorably.
- **Jun 29, 2016:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 114-401.
- **May 19, 2016:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 19, 2016:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.