

## HR 3434

### Commonsense Permitting for Job Creation Act of 2015

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

**Introduced:** Jul 31, 2015

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment. (Aug 3, 2015)

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## Sponsor

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## Committee Activity

| Committee                                   | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
|---|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Transportation and Infrastructure Committee | House   | Referred to | Aug 3, 2015 |

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

## Related Bills

| Bill       | Relationship | Last Action   |
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| 114 S 1914 | Related bill | Jul 30, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S6191) |

## **Commonsense Permitting for Job Creation Act of 2015**

This bill amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (commonly known as the Clean Water Act) to revise requirements for permit guidelines applicable to the designation of disposal sites for discharges of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States. Those guidelines may not prohibit the designation of a disposal site due to the lack of a final site plan because there is not an identified end user, industry, or industrial classification for the site.

### **Actions Timeline**

- **Aug 3, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Jul 31, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 31, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.