

## HR 3661

### New England Fishermen Preservation Act

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

**Introduced:** Oct 1, 2015

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans. (Oct 16, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/3661>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Guinta, Frank C. [R-NH-1]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** NH • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Poliquin, Bruce [R-ME-2]	R · ME		Oct 21, 2015

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 16, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2047	Related bill	Sep 17, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

### Summary (as of Oct 1, 2015)

#### New England Fishermen Preservation Act

This bill prohibits the Department of Commerce from requiring sectors of the Northeast Multispecies Fishery to comply with the independent, third-party monitoring program, unless the program is fully funded by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. The program monitors annual catch limits for fishing vessels in that sector. Currently, those sectors are required to develop and implement those programs, and are responsible for the program costs.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Oct 16, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans.
- **Oct 6, 2015:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H6821-6822)
- **Oct 1, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 1, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.