

HR 3734

Mining Schools Enhancement Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hardy, Cresent [R-NV-4]

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

Cosponsors (17 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Oct 9, 2015
Rep. Amodei, Mark E. [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Noem, Kristi L. [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Smith, Jason [R-MO-8]	R · MO		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Stewart, Chris [R-UT-2]	R · UT		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5]	R · PA		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Westerman, Bruce [R-AR-4]	R · AR		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Nov 19, 2015
Rep. Zinke, Ryan K. [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Dec 3, 2015
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Dec 7, 2015
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Dec 8, 2015
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Dec 11, 2015
Rep. Griffith, H. Morgan [R-VA-9]	R · VA		Dec 16, 2015
Rep. McSally, Martha [R-AZ-2]	R · AZ		Dec 16, 2015
Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Jun 15, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	Jun 14, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 5, 2016)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary has been expanded because action occurred on the measure.)

Mining Schools Enhancement Act

(Sec. 2) This bill amends the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to require the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSMRE) of the Department of the Interior to ensure that at least 70% of specified research funds are expended to enhance and support programs at mining and mineral engineering schools in the United States.

In addition, OSMRE shall ensure that research activities relate to conventional fuel resource development and production.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 5, 2016:** Reported by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 114-658.
- **Jul 5, 2016:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 509.
- **Jun 15, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 15, 2016:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jun 14, 2016:** Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources Discharged.
- **Jun 14, 2016:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Dec 14, 2015:** Subcommittee Hearing Held (Idaho Springs, Colorado).
- **Oct 21, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Oct 9, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 9, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.