

## HR 5014

### Tribal Marijuana Sovereignty Act of 2016

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Native Americans

**Introduced:** Apr 20, 2016

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Indian, Insular and Alaska Native Affairs.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Indian, Insular and Alaska Native Affairs. (May 4, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/5014>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** WI • **Chamber:** House

## Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		May 16, 2016
Rep. Polis, Jared [D-CO-2]	D · CO		May 16, 2016
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		May 23, 2016
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Jul 12, 2016

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 22, 2016
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	May 4, 2016

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Native Americans

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Apr 20, 2016)

### Tribal Marijuana Sovereignty Act of 2016

This bill prohibits consideration of an entity's authorization under federal, state, or tribal law to produce, purchase, or possess marijuana when: (1) allocating, distributing, or determining eligibility for, federal benefits; or (2) determining eligibility for or compliance with a contract, grant, or agreement under which such activities would otherwise be disqualifying. The bill applies to an Indian tribe's, a member of a tribe's, or a tribal entity's authorization to conduct such activities on land owned by the tribe, held in trust for the tribe, or conveyed to an Alaska Native Corporation.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 4, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Indian, Insular and Alaska Native Affairs.
- **Apr 22, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Apr 20, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 20, 2016:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.