

## HR 5070

### Lead Testing in School and Child Care Drinking Water Act of 2016

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

**Introduced:** Apr 26, 2016

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy. (Apr 29, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/5070>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]

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

## Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 29, 2016

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2848	Related bill	Sep 19, 2016: Held at the desk.
114 S 2821	Related bill	Apr 20, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 S 2830	Identical bill	Apr 20, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

## Summary (as of Apr 26, 2016)

### Lead Testing in School and Child Care Drinking Water Act of 2016

This bill amends the Safe Drinking Water Act to direct the Environmental Protection Agency to establish a voluntary school and child care lead testing program of grants to states to assist local educational agencies in voluntary testing for lead contamination in drinking water at schools and child care programs.

The bill repeals the current program of federal assistance for state programs regarding lead contamination in school drinking water.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 29, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and the Economy.
- **Apr 26, 2016:** Introduced in House
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