

## HR 5668

### Transparency and Honesty in Energy Regulations Act of 2016

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

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Rep. Palmer, Gary J. [R-AL-6]	R · AL		Nov 14, 2016

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 7, 2016

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 3508	Related bill	Dec 6, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

## Summary (as of Jul 7, 2016)

### Transparency and Honesty in Energy Regulations Act of 2016

This bill prohibits the Department of Energy and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) from considering the social cost of carbon or methane as part of any cost benefit analysis, unless a federal law is enacted authorizing such consideration.

The EPA must report on the number of proposed and final rulemakings, guidance documents, and agency actions since January 2009 that use either of those social costs, including as part of any cost benefit analysis required under Executive Order 12866 and other relevant authorities.

## Actions Timeline

- Jul 7, 2016: Introduced in House
- Jul 7, 2016: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.