

HJRES 68

Disapproving a rule submitted by the Environmental Protection Agency relating to "Standards of Performance for Greenhouse Gas Emissions from New, Modified, and Reconstructed Stationary Sources: Electric Utility Generating Units".

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 2, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 SJRES 23	Identical bill	Jan 11, 2016: Veto message received in Senate. Ordered held at the desk. (text of veto message: CR 01/11/2016 S28-29)
114 HJRES 71	Identical bill	Nov 19, 2015: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 266.

Summary (as of Sep 29, 2015)

Nullifies the Environmental Protection Agency's rule published on October 23, 2015, that establishes new source performance standards under the Clean Air Act for carbon dioxide emissions from fossil fuel-fired electric utility generating units (EGUs) if the EGUs are newly constructed, modified, or reconstructed. (Those EGUs convert fossil fuel energy to electric energy.)

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 2, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Power.
- **Sep 29, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 29, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.