

## HR 1273

### 21st Century Endangered Species Transparency Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

**Introduced:** Mar 1, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources. (Mar 1, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/1273>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]

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

## Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Chaffetz, Jason [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Mar 1, 2017
Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Mar 1, 2017
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Mar 1, 2017
Rep. Harper, Gregg [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Mar 1, 2017
Rep. Marshall, Roger [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Mar 1, 2017
Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Mar 1, 2017
Rep. Tipton, Scott R. [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Mar 1, 2017
Rep. Smith, Jason [R-MO-8]	R · MO		Mar 10, 2017
Rep. Gianforte, Greg [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Jul 28, 2017
Rep. Stewart, Chris [R-UT-2]	R · UT		Oct 4, 2017

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 1, 2017

## Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Environmental Protection

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 376	Related bill	Feb 14, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1162-1163)

## **21st Century Endangered Species Transparency Act**

This bill amends the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to require the Department of the Interior or the Department of Commerce, as appropriate, to make publicly available on the Internet the best scientific and commercial data available that are the basis for the determination of whether a species is an endangered species or a threatened species, including each proposed regulation for the listing of a species.

The departments are prohibited from making the information publicly available when: (1) the public disclosure of the information is prohibited by state law relating to the protection of personal information, and (2) the state makes a request to a department to withhold the information.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 1, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 1, 2017:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E263)
- **Mar 1, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.