

HR 2002

Florida Coastal Protection Act

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]

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

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Crist, Charlie [D-FL-13]	D · FL		Apr 6, 2017
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Apr 6, 2017
Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7]	D · FL		Apr 6, 2017
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		May 19, 2017
Rep. Rooney, Francis [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Jun 13, 2017
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Jan 19, 2018
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Jan 19, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 19, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 2292	Identical bill	Jan 10, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S139-141)
115 HR 2252	Related bill	May 11, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.

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This bill amends the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act to prohibit the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management from offering any tract for oil and gas leasing or preleasing in the following areas:

- the Eastern Gulf of Mexico Planning Area that is within 125 miles of the coastline of Florida,
- the South Atlantic Planning Area that is south of 30 degrees 43 minutes North Latitude, or
- the Straits of Florida Planning Area.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 19, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Apr 6, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 6, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.