

## HR 2158

Atlantic Seismic Airgun Protection Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Energy

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Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Dec 3, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	May 2, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 1263	Identical bill	<b>May 25, 2017:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

### Summary (as of Apr 26, 2017)

#### Atlantic Seismic Airgun Protection Act

This bill amends the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act to prohibit conducting geological or geophysical activities in support of oil, gas, or methane hydrate exploration and development on the Atlantic Outer Continental Shelf.

The geological and geophysical activities are described in a final programmatic environmental impact statement by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management entitled "Atlantic OCS Proposed Geological and Geophysical Activities, Mid-Atlantic and South Atlantic Planning Areas."

### Actions Timeline

- **May 2, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Apr 26, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 26, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.