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Safeguard Aquaculture Farmers Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Animals

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Jan 24, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]

Party: Republican • **State:** AR • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Shelby, Richard C. [R-AL]	R · AL		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Jan 24, 2017
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Jan 24, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 24, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Animals

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6302	Related bill	Oct 23, 2018: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 776.
115 S 2663	Related bill	Apr 12, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
115 HR 368	Identical bill	Feb 10, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Lands.

Summary (as of Jan 24, 2017)

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This bill provides the force and effect of law for certain regulations that allow for the taking of double-crested cormorants (birds) that eat fish at aquaculture facilities.

Actions Timeline

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