

S 2599

Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe Reservation Restoration Act

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Mar 22, 2018

Current Status: Held at the desk.

Latest Action: Held at the desk. (Dec 19, 2018)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/2599>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]

Party: Democratic • **State:** MN • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN] | D · MN | | Sep 17, 2018 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Indian Affairs Committee | Senate | Reported By | Nov 29, 2018 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 115 HR 5529 | Identical bill | Apr 20, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Lands. |

Summary (as of Mar 22, 2018)

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This bill directs the Department of Agriculture to transfer to the administrative jurisdiction of the Department of the Interior all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to approximately 11,760 acres of identified federal land in the Chippewa National Forest in Cass County, Minnesota. Immediately upon transfer, the federal land shall be held in trust for the benefit of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe and considered as a part of its reservation.

The federal land shall not become eligible or be used for gaming activities under the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 19, 2018:** Received in the House.
- **Dec 19, 2018:** Held at the desk.
- **Dec 17, 2018:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Dec 13, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with amendments by Voice Vote.(consideration: CR S7576-7577; text: CR S7577)
- **Dec 13, 2018:** Passed Senate with amendments by Voice Vote. (consideration: CR S7576-7577; text: CR S7577)
- **Nov 28, 2018:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Reported by Senator Hoeven with amendments. With written report No. 115-396.
- **Nov 28, 2018:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 685.
- **Sep 26, 2018:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- **Jul 11, 2018:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 115-327.
- **Mar 22, 2018:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 22, 2018:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.