

HR 2917

Regulatory Certainty Act of 2017

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Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Feb 14, 2018
Rep. Rokita, Todd [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Apr 18, 2018
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		May 9, 2018
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		May 16, 2018
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Jun 8, 2018
Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Jun 20, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 16, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3009	Related bill	Jun 6, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

Summary (as of Jun 15, 2017)

Regulatory Certainty Act of 2017

This bill amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (commonly known as the Clean Water Act) to limit the period during which the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) may prohibit the specification, or restrict the use, of an area as a disposal site for discharges of dredged or fill materials into waters of the United States to the period that:

- begins on the date that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers provides notice to the EPA that the Corps of Engineers has completed all procedures for processing an application for a permit for dredged or fill material and is ready to determine whether the permit should be issued, and
- ends on the date that the Corps of Engineers issues the permit.

The Corps of Engineers must ensure that the period consists of at least 30 consecutive days.

The Corps of Engineers may issue a permit for dredged or fill material only after the Corps of Engineers provides notice to the EPA.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 16, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Jun 15, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 15, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.