

HR 3131

Endangered Species Litigation Reasonableness Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]

Party: Republican • **State:** MI • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Jul 13, 2017
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Jul 13, 2017
Rep. LaMalfa, Doug [R-CA-1]	R · CA		Jul 13, 2017
Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Jul 13, 2017
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5]	R · PA		Jul 13, 2017
Rep. Tipton, Scott R. [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Jul 13, 2017
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-3]	R · MO		Jul 18, 2017
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Jul 20, 2017
Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Jul 26, 2017
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-32]	R · TX		Sep 14, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Discharged From	Feb 15, 2018
Natural Resources Committee	House	Reported By	Feb 15, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary has been expanded because action occurred on the measure.)

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(Sec. 2) This bill amends the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to replace the current standard for awarding court costs, including attorney fees, in citizen suits with the federal judicial code standard for awarding costs to a prevailing party.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 15, 2018:** Reported by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 115-563, Part I.
- **Feb 15, 2018:** Committee on the Judiciary discharged.
- **Feb 15, 2018:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 424.
- **Oct 4, 2017:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Oct 4, 2017:** Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 22 - 16.
- **Jul 19, 2017:** Committee Hearings Held.
- **Jun 29, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 29, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

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