

HR 3248

Water Advanced Technologies for Efficient Resource Use Act of 2017

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Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		Sep 26, 2017
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Oct 6, 2017
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Oct 25, 2017
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Oct 31, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 21, 2017
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 14, 2017
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 14, 2017
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 14, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 14, 2017)

Water Advanced Technologies for Efficient Resource Use Act of 2017

This bill codifies the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) WaterSense program, which identifies, labels, and promotes water efficient products, buildings, landscapes, and services. This bill also establishes a program to provide financial incentives for consumers to purchase and install residential water efficient products and services labeled under the WaterSense program.

In order to meet procurement requirements for a water consuming product or service, federal agencies must purchase a WaterSense product or service, or a Federal Energy Management Program designated product. Agencies do not have to procure those products or services if they are not cost-effective, or not reasonably available.

The bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to exclude from the gross income of individual taxpayers any amount received under an incentive program for the purchase and installation of residential water efficient products and services.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 21, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Readiness.
- **Jul 14, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 14, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Oversight and Government Reform, Armed Services, and Ways and Means, 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.