

## HR 3958

### Securing Energy Infrastructure Act of 2017

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Energy

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## Sponsor

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred to	May 22, 2018

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Energy

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 79	Related bill	Dec 20, 2018: Held at the desk.
115 S 1761	Related bill	Sep 7, 2017: By Senator Burr from Select Committee on Intelligence filed written report. Report No. 115-151. Additional and Minority views filed.

## **Securing Energy Infrastructure Act of 2017**

This bill establishes a two-year pilot program within the Department of Energy's (DOE) national laboratories to (1) identify the security vulnerabilities of certain entities in the energy sector; and (2) research, develop, test, and implement technology that can be used to isolate the most critical systems of such entities from cyberattacks.

The bill also directs the Director of Intelligence and Counterintelligence of DOE to establish a working group to evaluate the technology solutions proposed by the national laboratories and to develop a national strategy to isolate the energy grid from attacks.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 22, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
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- **Oct 4, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.