

## HR 4689

To authorize early repayment of obligations to the Bureau of Reclamation within the Northport Irrigation District in the State of Nebraska.

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Water Resources Development

**Introduced:** Dec 19, 2017

**Current Status:** Became Public Law No: 115-429.

**Latest Action:** Became Public Law No: 115-429. (Jan 10, 2019)

**Law:** 115-429 (Enacted Jan 10, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/4689>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Smith, Adrian [R-NE-3]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Dec 22, 2018
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	May 8, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Water Resources Development

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jan 10, 2019)

(Sec. 1) This bill authorizes any landowner within the Northport Irrigation District in Nebraska to repay, at any time, the construction costs of project facilities allocated to the landowner's land within the district. Upon discharge in full of the obligation for repayment of all such costs, the parcels of land may not be subject to the ownership and full-cost pricing limitations under federal reclamation law. The Department of the Interior, upon request, must provide to the landowner who has repaid such costs in full a certificate acknowledging that the landholding is free of such limitations.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 10, 2019:** Signed by President.
- **Jan 10, 2019:** Became Public Law No: 115-429.
- **Jan 2, 2019:** Presented to President.
- **Dec 22, 2018:** Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S8034)
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- **Dec 22, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.
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- **Dec 22, 2018:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Sep 17, 2018:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Sep 12, 2018:** Mr. Gianforte moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Sep 12, 2018:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8144-8145)
- **Sep 12, 2018:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 4689.
- **Sep 12, 2018:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Sep 12, 2018:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H8158-8159)
- **Sep 12, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 378 - 1 (Roll no. 396).(text: CR H8144)
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- **Sep 12, 2018:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 22, 2018:** Reported by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 115-700.
- **May 22, 2018:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 542.
- **May 8, 2018:** Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans Discharged.
- **May 8, 2018:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 8, 2018:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jan 2, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Power and Oceans.
- **Dec 19, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 19, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.