

HJRES 47

Disapproving the rule submitted by the Department of the Interior regarding requirements for exploratory drilling on the Arctic Outer Continental Shelf.

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Policy Area: Energy

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HJRES 70	Identical bill	Feb 9, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.
115 HJRES 34	Identical bill	Jan 27, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

Summary (as of Jan 30, 2017)

This joint resolution nullifies the rule submitted by the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement and Bureau of Ocean Energy Management titled "Oil and Gas and Sulfur Operations on the Outer Continental Shelf Requirements for Exploratory Drilling on the Arctic Outer Continental Shelf." The rule published in the Federal Register on July 15, 2016, limits exploration of oil and gas resources in the Arctic Outer Continental Shelf.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 30, 2017:** Introduced in House
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