

S 490

A bill to reinstate and extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project involving the Gibson Dam.

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Energy

Introduced: Mar 2, 2017

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Law: 115-219 (Enacted Jul 27, 2018)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/490>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]

Party: Republican • **State:** MT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Mar 2, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 3, 2018
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jun 8, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 5895	Related bill	Sep 21, 2018: Became Public Law No: 115-244.
115 HR 3872	Related bill	Sep 29, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.

Summary (as of Jul 27, 2018)

(Sec. 1) This bill authorizes the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), upon request, to extend for up to six years the time period during which construction must commence on the Gibson Dam Hydroelectric Project located on the Sun River in Lewis, Clark, and Teton Counties, Montana.

Additionally, FERC may reinstate the construction license if it is expired.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 27, 2018:** Signed by President.
- **Jul 27, 2018:** Became Public Law No: 115-219.
- **Jul 19, 2018:** Presented to President.
- **Jul 16, 2018:** Mr. Upton moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jul 16, 2018:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6226-6227)
- **Jul 16, 2018:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 490.
- **Jul 16, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H6226)
- **Jul 16, 2018:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H6226)
- **Jul 16, 2018:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 3, 2018:** Received in the House.
- **Jul 3, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
- **Jun 29, 2018:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jun 28, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S4809; text: CR S4809)
- **Jun 28, 2018:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S4809; text: CR S4809)
- **Jun 8, 2017:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Murkowski with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 115-100.
- **Jun 8, 2017:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 130.
- **Mar 30, 2017:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Mar 2, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 2, 2017:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S1579; text of measure as introduced: CR S1579)