

## HR 5055

Acequia Conservation Program Eligibility Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Agriculture and Food

**Introduced:** Feb 15, 2018

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry. (Mar 8, 2018)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Lujan, Ben Ray [D-NM-3]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NM • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 8, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Feb 15, 2018)

#### Acequia Conservation Program Eligibility Act

This bill amends the Food Security Act of 1985 to make acequias eligible for assistance under several Department of Agriculture conservation programs. An "acequia" is a political subdivision of a state that is organized to manage the operation of an irrigation ditch and does not have the power to impose taxes or levies.

### Actions Timeline

- **Mar 8, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry.
- **Feb 15, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 15, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.