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Consumer and Fuel Retailer Choice Act

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Policy Area: Environmental Protection

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Fischer, Deb [R-NE]

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

Cosponsors (18 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO]	R · MO		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Donnelly, Joe [D-IN]	D · IN		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Heitkamp, Heidi [D-ND]	D · ND		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. McCaskill, Claire [D-MO]	D · MO		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Sasse, Ben [R-NE]	R · NE		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Mar 2, 2017
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		Mar 14, 2017
Sen. Rounds, Mike [R-SD]	R · SD		Mar 15, 2017
Sen. Franken, Al [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 29, 2017
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		Apr 25, 2017
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Mar 6, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Jun 14, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 1311	Identical bill	Mar 17, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment.

Summary (as of Mar 2, 2017)

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This bill amends the Clean Air Act to address the limitations on Reid vapor pressure (a measure of gasoline's volatility) that are placed on gasoline during the summer ozone season. The bill applies the Reid vapor pressure requirements that are applicable to gasoline blended with 10% ethanol (E10) to gasoline blended with more than 10% ethanol. Thus, the waiver given to E10 gasoline, which allows an increase in the Reid Vapor Pressure volatility, is extended to gasoline blended with more than 10% ethanol.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 14, 2017:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 115-71.
- **Mar 2, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 2, 2017:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.