

## HR 5291

### Offshore Wind Jobs and Opportunity Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

**Introduced:** Mar 14, 2018

**Current Status:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.

**Latest Action:** Subcommittee Hearings Held. (Jun 26, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/5291>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MA • **Chamber:** House

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 14, 2018
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jun 26, 2018

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

## Related Bills

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No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Mar 14, 2018)

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#### Offshore Wind Jobs and Opportunity Act

This bill authorizes the Department of the Interior to award offshore wind career training grants to eligible entities (i.e., institutions of higher education or labor organizations) to develop, offer, or improve educational or career training programs that provide skills that are useful for employment in the offshore wind industry.

#### Actions Timeline

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- **Jun 26, 2018:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 28, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Mar 14, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 14, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.