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Tribal Labor Sovereignty Act of 2017

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Native Americans

**Introduced:** Jan 9, 2017

**Current Status:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 9.

**Latest Action:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 9. (Feb 17, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/63>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]

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

### Cosponsors (13 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. Flake, Jeff [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. Gardner, Cory [R-CO]	R · CO		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. Johnson, Ron [R-WI]	R · WI		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]	R · OK		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Jan 9, 2017
Sen. Rounds, Mike [R-SD]	R · SD		Jan 10, 2017
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Feb 13, 2017
Sen. Fischer, Deb [R-NE]	R · NE		Nov 16, 2017

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Indian Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Feb 17, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Native Americans

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 140	Related bill	<b>Dec 4, 2018:</b> Became Public Law No: 115-282.
115 HR 986	Identical bill	<b>Sep 25, 2017:</b> Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 234.

## Summary (as of Feb 17, 2017)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary has been expanded because action occurred on the measure.)

### Tribal Labor Sovereignty Act of 2017

(Sec. 2) This bill amends the National Labor Relations Act (NLRA) to exclude Native American tribes and tribal enterprises and institutions on tribal land from requirements for employers under the NLRA. (Currently under the NLRA, employers may not engage in unfair labor practices and must allow employees to form unions, engage in collective bargaining, and take collective action.)

### Actions Timeline

- **Feb 17, 2017:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Reported by Senator Hoeven without amendment. With written report No. 115-3.
- **Feb 17, 2017:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 9.
- **Feb 8, 2017:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Ordered to be reported favorably.
- **Jan 9, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 9, 2017:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.