

## HR 6835

PFAS Federal Facility Accountability Act of 2018

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

**Introduced:** Sep 17, 2018

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. (Sep 17, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/6835>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** MI • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Sep 17, 2018
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Sep 17, 2018
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Sep 17, 2018
Rep. Bergman, Jack [R-MI-1]	R · MI		Sep 26, 2018
Rep. Costello, Ryan A. [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Sep 26, 2018
Rep. Bishop, Mike [R-MI-8]	R · MI		Oct 5, 2018
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Oct 23, 2018
Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Nov 2, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 17, 2018
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 17, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Environmental Protection

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3381	Related bill	Aug 23, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

## **PFAS Federal Facility Accountability Act of 2018**

This bill requires the federal government, on the request of a state, to cooperate with the state to address drinking water, surface water, ground water, sediment, or soil contaminated from a perfluorinated compound released from a federal facility or a former federal facility. A perfluorinated compound means a perfluoroalkyl substance, or a polyfluoroalkyl substance, that is man made and contains at least one fully fluorinated carbon atom.

Within a year, the Environmental Protection Agency must determine whether to designate perfluorinated compounds as hazardous substances.

### **Actions Timeline**

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