

## HR 7194

### Regulatory Certainty for Navigable Waters Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.

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### Sponsor

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### Committee Activity

| Committee                                   | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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| Transportation and Infrastructure Committee | House   | Referred to | Nov 30, 2018 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Nov 29, 2018)

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This bill describes which bodies of water fall under federal jurisdiction and the scope of the Clean Water Act. Specifically, the bill: (1) repeals the Environmental Protection Agency's 2015 Clean Water Rule (commonly known as the Waters of the United States or WOTUS rule), (2) defines navigable waters, and (3) establishes a process for reviewing determinations that water bodies are navigable waters.

### Actions Timeline

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