

## S 1087

### Water Quality Certification Improvement Act of 2019

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

**Introduced:** Apr 9, 2019

**Current Status:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 116-145.

**Latest Action:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 116-145. (Nov 19, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/1087>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY]

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

### Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV]	R · WV		Apr 9, 2019
Sen. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND]	R · ND		Apr 9, 2019
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Apr 9, 2019
Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY]	R · WY		Apr 9, 2019
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Apr 9, 2019
Sen. Toomey, Patrick [R-PA]	R · PA		Nov 6, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Nov 19, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 2205	Identical bill	Apr 11, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.

### Summary (as of Apr 9, 2019)

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This bill limits the authority of states with respect to water quality certifications. Specifically, the bill limits the authority of states to review federally permitted activities that may result in discharges into navigable waters.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 19, 2019:** Committee on Environment and Public Works. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 116-145.
- **Apr 9, 2019:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 9, 2019:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.