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West Coast Ocean Protection Act of 2019

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Energy

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: Senate

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 2, 2019
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		May 2, 2019
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		May 2, 2019
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		May 2, 2019
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		May 2, 2019
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 2, 2019
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		May 2, 2019
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		May 2, 2019
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		May 2, 2019
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		May 2, 2019
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		May 2, 2019
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		May 2, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 2, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 279	Related bill	Feb 5, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
116 HR 310	Identical bill	Feb 5, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.

Summary (as of May 2, 2019)

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This bill prohibits the Department of the Interior from issuing a lease for the exploration, development, or production of oil or natural gas in any area of the Outer Continental Shelf off the coast of California, Oregon, or Washington.

Actions Timeline

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