

## S 1452

### MARITIME Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Transportation and Public Works

**Introduced:** May 14, 2019

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (May 14, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/1452>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MA • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		May 14, 2019
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		May 14, 2019
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		May 16, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 14, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of May 14, 2019)

#### Maritime Academy Reinvestment And Training Improvements for Mariner Employment Act or the MARITIME Act

This bill directs the U.S. Maritime Administration to provide assistance for the construction, installation, or maintenance of harbor projects that will support a federally owned vessel operated by a state maritime academy or a nonfederal oceanographic research facility.

The bill designates state maritime academies as centers of excellence, making them eligible for maritime workforce training and education assistance.

## Actions Timeline

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