

## S 1685

Launching Energy Advancement and Development through Innovations for Natural Gas Act of 2019

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**Policy Area:** Energy

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]

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

### Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA]	R · LA		May 23, 2019
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		May 23, 2019
Sen. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ]	D · AZ		May 23, 2019
Sen. Gardner, Cory [R-CO]	R · CO		Jul 24, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jul 9, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Energy

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 3828	Related bill	<b>Jul 18, 2019:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

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This bill directs the Department of Energy (DOE) to establish a program for the capture of carbon dioxide produced during the generation of natural gas-generated power.

Specifically, DOE must

- identify opportunities to accelerate the development of commercially viable carbon capture technologies to reduce carbon dioxide emissions;
- enter into cooperative agreements with certain entities to license, permit, construct, and operate at least three facilities to capture carbon dioxide from natural gas generating power facilities; and
- identify any barriers to the commercial development of carbon capture technologies.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 25, 2019:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Murkowski with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 116-118.
- **Sep 25, 2019:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 221.
- **Jul 16, 2019:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Jul 9, 2019:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Energy. Hearings held. With printed Hearing: S.Hrg. 116-327.
- **May 23, 2019:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 23, 2019:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.