

## S 2288

American Energy Efficiency Act of 2019

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### Sponsor

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Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Jul 25, 2019
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Sep 23, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 25, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

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Energy

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

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This bill directs the Department of Energy (DOE) to prescribe a federal energy efficiency resource standard for retail electricity and natural gas suppliers.

Among other things, the bill establishes

- procedures and standards for evaluating, measuring, and verifying electricity and natural gas savings, including specifying the types of energy efficiency and energy conservation measures that may be counted;
- certain requirements governing retail electricity suppliers;
- other requirements governing applications for, and implementation of, delegated state administration;
- rules to govern transfers of electricity or natural gas savings between suppliers and third-party efficiency providers serving the same state and between suppliers and third-party efficiency providers serving different states;
- performance standards for retail electricity and natural gas suppliers; and
- penalties for suppliers who fail to document the adequate savings required by this bill.

## **Actions Timeline**

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