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21st Century Energy Workforce Act of 2019

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (1 total)

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill directs the Department of Energy (DOE) to establish a 21st Century Energy Workforce Advisory Board to develop a strategy for the support and development of a skilled energy workforce.

Based on the board's recommendations, DOE shall establish a clearinghouse to:

- maintain and update information and resources on training and workforce development programs for energy- and manufacturing-related jobs; and
- act as a resource and provide guidance for secondary schools, institutions of higher education (including community colleges and minority-serving institutions), and workforce development, labor management, and industry organizations that would like to develop and implement energy- and manufacturing-related training programs.

DOE shall also establish a pilot program to award grants to eligible entities for job training programs that lead to an industry-recognized credential.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 24, 2019:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Murkowski without amendment. With written report No. 116-150.
- **Oct 24, 2019:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 271.
- **Sep 25, 2019:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Jul 30, 2019:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 30, 2019:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.