

HR 2533

PFAS Drinking Water Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Water Resources Development

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** NJ • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		May 14, 2019
Rep. Malinowski, Tom [D-NJ-7]	D · NJ		Sep 3, 2019
Rep. Underwood, Lauren [D-IL-14]	D · IL		Sep 3, 2019
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Sep 9, 2019
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Sep 24, 2019
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Oct 16, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 8, 2019
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Reported by	Sep 26, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Water Resources Development

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 535	Related bill	Jan 13, 2020: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
116 HR 2741	Related bill	Jun 4, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States.

Providing Financial Assistance for Safe Drinking Water Act or the PFAS Drinking Water Act

This bill requires the Environmental Protection Agency to establish a program that awards grants to community water systems for the costs associated with technologies that remove perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substances, commonly referred to as PFAS, from drinking water. PFAS are man-made and may have adverse human health effects. A variety of products contain the compounds, such as nonstick cookware or weatherproof clothing.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 26, 2019:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 26, 2019:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .
- **May 15, 2019:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **May 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change.
- **May 8, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 7, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **May 7, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.