

HR 2758

DEBRIS Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Emergency Management

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management. (May 16, 2019)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		May 15, 2019
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	May 16, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 1484	Identical bill	May 15, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

Summary (as of May 15, 2019)

Diversifying Emergency Benchmarks for the Recovery of Individuals after Storms Act or the DEBRIS Act

This bill authorizes disaster relief assistance to individuals for the removal of debris from owner-occupied private residences and property. The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) must consider the estimated cost of such debris removal in evaluating a request for a major disaster declaration.

Actions Timeline

- **May 16, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **May 15, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **May 15, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.