

## HR 3324

PROTECT Florida Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Water Resources Development

**Introduced:** Jun 18, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment. (Jun 19, 2019)

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### Committee Activity

| Committee                                   | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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| Transportation and Infrastructure Committee | House   | Referred to | Jun 19, 2019 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Water Resources Development

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Prioritizing Revised Operations To Eliminate Cyanobacteria Toxins in Florida Act or the PROTECT Florida Act**

This bill modifies requirements regarding water infrastructure projects in central and southern Florida.

Specifically, the Army Corps of Engineers must include in such projects specified public health considerations, including those related to cyanobacteria and other toxins.

The bill also prohibits the use of restoration funds for deep well injection (a liquid-waste disposal technology).

In addition, the Army Corps of Engineers must (1) develop a master operational manual to ensure system management that protects public health and Everglades restoration; and (2) with the National Academies of Sciences, study the legacy of pollution and nutrient loading, as well as the impacts of soil amendments.

### **Actions Timeline**

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