

HR 4093

National Oceans and Coastal Security Improvements Act of 2019

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Jul 30, 2019

Current Status: Committee Hearings Held.

Latest Action: Committee Hearings Held. (Nov 17, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Rooney, Francis [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Jul 30, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	Nov 17, 2020
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 30, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill revises the National Ocean and Coastal Security Fund. (The fund supports programs and activities to protect, conserve, and restore ocean and coastal resources and coastal infrastructure.)

Specifically, the bill

- revises the maximum amounts that may be used to provide grants from the fund;
- details new eligible uses for the fund's grant program, including for restoration, protection, or maintenance of living ocean, coastal, and Great Lakes resources and their habitats;
- requires the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation to award grants from the fund to eligible coastal states based on a specified formula; and
- specifies additional requirements for coastal states to be eligible to receive funding from the fund.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 17, 2020:** Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife Discharged.
- **Nov 17, 2020:** Committee Hearings Held.
- **Aug 21, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.
- **Jul 30, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 30, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.