HR 4275

To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize the Lake Pontchartrain Basin Restoration Program, and for other purposes.

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)
Chamber: House
Policy Area: Environmental Protection
Introduced: Sep 10, 2019
Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Feb 10, 2020)
Official Text: https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/4275

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Graves, Garret [R-LA-6]
Party: Republican • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Richmond, Cedric L. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Sep 10, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 10, 2020
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Discharged from	Sep 19, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 2	Related bill	**Jul 20, 2020:** Received in the Senate.

Summary (as of Feb 5, 2020)

This bill reauthorizes through FY2025 and revises the Lake Pontchartrain Basin Restoration Program.

Under the existing program, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) must develop and fund projects to restore the ecological health of the basin, which is located in Louisiana and Mississippi. The bill requires the EPA to review and revise the basin's comprehensive conservation and management plan at least once every five years. In addition, the bill eliminates a statement of the basin's size.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 10, 2020:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
- **Feb 5, 2020:** Mrs. Napolitano moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Feb 5, 2020:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H805-806)
- **Feb 5, 2020:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 4275.
- **Feb 5, 2020:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.
- **Feb 5, 2020:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H805)
- **Feb 5, 2020:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Nov 14, 2019:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H. Rept. 116-291.
- **Nov 14, 2019:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 234.
- **Sep 19, 2019:** Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment Discharged.
- **Sep 19, 2019:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 19, 2019:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Sep 11, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Sep 10, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 10, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

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