

## HR 667

### Regulatory Certainty for Navigable Waters Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment. (Feb 7, 2019)

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### Sponsor

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**Party:** Republican • **State:** WA • **Chamber:** House

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 7, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jan 17, 2019)

#### Regulatory Certainty for Navigable Waters Act

This bill describes which bodies of water fall under federal jurisdiction and the scope of the Clean Water Act. Specifically, the bill (1) repeals the Environmental Protection Agency's 2015 Clean Water Rule, commonly known as the Waters of the United States or WOTUS rule; (2) redefines navigable waters; and (3) establishes a process for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to determine, upon request, whether certain wetlands are navigable waters.

### Actions Timeline

- **Feb 7, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Jan 17, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 17, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure