

HR 8277

Nuclear Plant Decommissioning Act of 2020

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

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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. (Sep 17, 2020)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]

Party: Democratic • **State:** VT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Sep 16, 2020
Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		Sep 29, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 16, 2020
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 16, 2020
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 17, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 4890	Identical bill	Nov 10, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

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This bill (1) provides a mechanism for states, tribal and local governments to play a role in the development of post-shutdown decommissioning activities regarding the shutdown of a nuclear facility; and (2) establishes a grant program to support community advisory boards that aim to foster communication between a licensee involved in decommissioning activities and members of a community that may be affected by such activities.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 17, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Sep 16, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 16, 2020:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, and Financial Services, 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.