

HR 91

Columbia River In-Lieu and Treaty Fishing Access Sites Improvement Act

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Native Americans

Introduced: Jan 3, 2019

Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs. (Apr 30, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Indian Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 30, 2019
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 5, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Native Americans

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 50	Identical bill	Dec 20, 2019: Became Public Law No: 116-99.

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This bill authorizes the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) to assess sanitation and safety conditions on land set aside to provide Columbia River Treaty tribes access to traditional fishing grounds. The bill applies to land held by the United States for the benefit of the Nez Perce Tribe, the Confederated Tribes of Umatilla Indian Reservation, the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon, and the Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation.

The BIA may enter into contracts with tribes or tribal organizations to improve sanitation, safety conditions, and access to electricity, sewer, and water infrastructure on this land.

The Government Accountability Office must report whether the sanitation and safety conditions on the lands have improved as a result of the contracts.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 30, 2019:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.
- **Apr 29, 2019:** Mr. Van Drew moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Apr 29, 2019:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H3290-3291)
- **Apr 29, 2019:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 91.
- **Apr 29, 2019:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Apr 29, 2019:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H3294)
- **Apr 29, 2019:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 396 - 18 (Roll no. 168).(text: CR H3290)
- **Apr 29, 2019:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 396 - 18 (Roll no. 168). (text: CR H3290)
- **Apr 29, 2019:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 5, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States.
- **Jan 3, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 3, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

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