

## S 2698

### Stop CATASTROPHES Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Public Lands and Natural Resources

**Introduced:** Aug 10, 2021

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Aug 10, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/2698>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** WY • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Aug 10, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 4302	Related bill	<b>Aug 11, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry.
117 HR 4573	Related bill	<b>Aug 11, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry.

### Summary (as of Aug 10, 2021)

#### Stop Causing Alarming Tree, Air, and Soil Trauma Resulting from Obstructive Progressives' and Hypocritical Environmentalists' Schemes Act or the Stop CATASTROPHES Act

This bill categorically excludes certain forest management activities from the requirement to prepare an environmental assessment or an environmental impact statement. The activities are those that are carried out by the Department of Agriculture on National Forest System Lands or the Department of the Interior on public lands where the primary purpose is to improve or restore such lands or reduce the risk of wildfire on such lands.

To be excluded, the area of the forest management activity may not exceed 10,000 acres.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Aug 10, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
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