

## S 3752

### American Energy Independence from Russia Act

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### Sponsor

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Sen. Johnson, Ron [R-WI]	R · WI		Mar 3, 2022
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 3, 2022

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Energy

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 6858	Related bill	<b>Mar 8, 2022:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit.
117 HR 6235	Related bill	<b>Dec 10, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
117 HR 684	Related bill	<b>Feb 25, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
117 HR 543	Related bill	<b>Feb 24, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry.
117 S 171	Related bill	<b>Feb 2, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
117 S 76	Related bill	<b>Jan 28, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

## Summary (as of Mar 3, 2022)

### American Energy Independence from Russia Act

This bill addresses U.S. energy security, the production of oil and gas, and the importation and exportation of oil and gas.

Specifically, the President must submit an energy security plan that (1) evaluates U.S. crude oil, petroleum products, and natural gas imports and exports; (2) assesses the energy security risks of such imports; and (3) includes strategies to encourage increased domestic production of crude oil, petroleum products, and natural gas to offset Russian imports.

The bill also approves the TransCanada Keystone Pipeline in Phillips County, Montana for the import of oil from Canada to the United States.

In addition, the bill grants the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission the authority to approve or deny applications for facilities to export natural gas from the United States to foreign countries or import natural gas from foreign countries.

The President and federal agencies must obtain congressional approval before (1) prohibiting or substantially delaying certain new energy mineral leases or permits on federal lands, or (2) withdrawing certain federal lands from mineral and geothermal leasing activities.

The Department of the Interior must resume issuing oil and gas leases on federal lands and offshore submerged lands in the Outer Continental Shelf as specified under the bill.

Finally, the bill limits the drawdown of petroleum in the Strategic Petroleum Reserve until the Department of Energy develops a plan to increase the percentage of federal lands leased for oil and gas production.

### Actions Timeline

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