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Energy Consumer Protection Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Energy

Introduced: Jul 28, 2022

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (Jul 28, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Jul 28, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 28, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Energy

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 8578	Identical bill	Jul 28, 2022: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Summary (as of Jul 28, 2022)

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This bill expands enforcement provisions under the Federal Power Act and the Natural Gas Act, including by allowing the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to temporarily or permanently ban any person from trading in energy markets if the person (1) violates those acts by manipulating the electricity or natural gas markets, or (2) files false information regarding those markets.

Actions Timeline

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