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Continental Divide Trail Completion Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Current Status: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 117-523.

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Dec 1, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 5118	Related bill	Aug 2, 2022: Received in the Senate.

Summary (as of Sep 28, 2022)

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This bill directs the Forest Service and the Department of the Interior to complete the Continental Divide National Scenic Trail as a contiguous route by November 10, 2028.

The Forest Service and Interior must also establish a joint Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management trail completion team to work in coordination with the administrator of the trail to facilitate its completion and optimization.

In addition, the Forest Service must submit to specified congressional committees a comprehensive development plan for the trail.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 1, 2022:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 117-523.
- **Sep 28, 2022:** Introduced in Senate
- **Sep 28, 2022:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.