

HR 5628

Pecos Watershed Protection Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Oct 19, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands. (Oct 26, 2021)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/5628>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Leger Fernandez, Teresa [D-NM-3]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Stansbury, Melanie Ann [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Oct 22, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 26, 2021
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 182	Identical bill	May 3, 2022: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Failed to report favorably.

Summary (as of Oct 19, 2021)

Pecos Watershed Protection Act

This bill withdraws identified federal land in the Pecos River watershed in New Mexico from

- entry, appropriation, or disposal under the public land laws;
- location, entry, and patent under the mining laws; and
- disposition under all laws pertaining to mineral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 26, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Oct 26, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands.
- **Oct 19, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 19, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.