

HR 8437

BREEZE Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

Introduced: Jul 20, 2022

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned. (Jul 20, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Scalise, Steve [R-LA-1]

Party: Republican • **State:** LA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Carter, Troy [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Jul 20, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Budget Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 20, 2022
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 20, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 4334	Related bill	Jul 30, 2021: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife.

Summary (as of Jul 20, 2022)

Budgeting for Renewable Electrical Energy Zone Earnings Act or the BREEZE Act

This bill makes various changes to the allocation of revenues from offshore oil, gas, and wind projects on the Outer Continental Shelf in the Gulf of Mexico, including to increase the share of revenues paid to states. It also exempts the payments to states from sequestration (a process of automatic, usually across-the-board spending reductions under which budgetary resources are permanently cancelled to enforce specific budget policy goals.)

Actions Timeline

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