

HR 8499

Transparency and Honesty in Energy Regulations Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

Introduced: Jul 26, 2022

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials. (Jul 27, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hudson, Richard [R-NC-8]

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

Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Jul 26, 2022
Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Jul 26, 2022
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Jul 26, 2022
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Jul 26, 2022
Rep. Mullin, Markwayne [R-OK-2]	R · OK		Jul 26, 2022
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Jul 26, 2022
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Jul 29, 2022
Rep. Williams, Roger [R-TX-25]	R · TX		Jul 29, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 26, 2022
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 26, 2022
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 27, 2022
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 4596	Related bill	Jul 21, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

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This bill prohibits specified federal entities (e.g., the Department of Energy) from considering the social cost of carbon, methane, nitrous oxide, or greenhouse gas as part of any cost-benefit analysis required under any law or specified Executive Orders. In addition, such social costs must not be considered by such entities (1) in rulemaking, (2) in the issuance of guidance, (3) in taking other agency action, (4) or as a justification for any rulemaking, guidance document, or agency action.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 27, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Jul 27, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials.
- **Jul 26, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 26, 2022:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Natural Resources, and Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.