

HR 8749

Protecting the Permian Basin Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. (Aug 26, 2022)

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| Rep. Miller-Meeks, Mariannette [R-IA-2] | R · IA | | Sep 9, 2022 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred To | Aug 26, 2022 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Aug 26, 2022)

Protecting the Permian Basin Act of 2022

This bill eliminates a program administered by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) that provides incentives for petroleum and natural gas systems to reduce their emissions of methane and other greenhouse gases. It also repeals a charge on methane emissions from specific types of facilities that are required to report their greenhouse gas emissions to the EPA's Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reporting Program.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 26, 2022:** Introduced in House
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