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Save Oak Flat Act

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]

Party: Independent • **State:** VT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Mar 25, 2021
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Mar 25, 2021
Sen. Padilla, Alex [D-CA]	D · CA		Mar 25, 2021
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Mar 25, 2021
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Mar 25, 2021
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jul 15, 2021
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Sep 14, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 23, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 1884	Identical bill	Dec 7, 2022: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 427.

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This bill repeals the requirement for the Department of Agriculture to convey the 2,422 acres of Forest Service land located in Tonto National Forest in Pinal County, Arizona, known as Oak Flat, to Resolution Copper Mining, LLC, in exchange for various parcels of land owned by Resolution Copper.

Oak Flat is withdrawn from (1) entry, appropriation, or disposal under the public land laws; (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining laws; and (3) disposition under all laws pertaining to mineral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

Actions Timeline

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