

## HR 1008

Combat Harmful Algal Blooms Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Emergency Management

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 24, 2023
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 14, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 132	Related bill	<b>Feb 1, 2023:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.

## Combat Harmful Algal Blooms Act

This bill includes algal blooms within the definition of *major disaster* under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act and directs the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to submit to specified congressional committees a detailed study relating to the health effects of exposure to cyanotoxins in the air that result from algal blooms.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 24, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment, Manufacturing, and Critical Materials.
- **Feb 14, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 14, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.