

S 1322

Unlocking Native Lands and Opportunities for Commerce and Key Economic Developments Act of 2023

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Native Americans

Introduced: Apr 26, 2023

Current Status: Held at the desk.

Latest Action: Held at the desk. (Nov 22, 2024)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/senate-bill/1322>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]

Party: Democratic • **State:** HI • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Apr 26, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Indian Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Mar 12, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Native Americans

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 26, 2023)

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This bill allows all Indian tribes and individual Indian owners of restricted land to lease their land for up to 99 years, subject to the approval of the Department of the Interior. The bill also provides tribes with the authority to approve certain types of rights-of-way without obtaining approval from Interior.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 22, 2024:** Received in the House.
- **Nov 22, 2024:** Held at the desk.
- **Nov 21, 2024:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Voice Vote.
- **Nov 21, 2024:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Voice Vote. (consideration: CR S6705-6707; text: CR S6706-6707)
- **Nov 21, 2024:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Mar 12, 2024:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Reported by Senator Schatz with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 118-159.
- **Mar 12, 2024:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 342.
- **Jul 19, 2023:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **May 3, 2023:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 118-105.
- **Apr 26, 2023:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 26, 2023:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.