

HR 1576

FILM Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

Introduced: Mar 14, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Forestry.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Forestry. (Apr 5, 2023)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 5, 2023
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Mar 28, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 6492	Related bill	Jan 4, 2025: Became Public Law No: 118-234.
118 S 873	Related bill	Jul 26, 2023: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 172.

Summary (as of Mar 14, 2023)

Federal Interior Land Media Act or the FILM Act

This bill rewrites provisions for commercial filming activities or similar projects in National Park System units and on other federal lands.

Specifically, the bill provides exceptions from permitting and fee requirements for content creation, including still photography, digital or analog video, or digital or analog audio recording activities, on land under the jurisdiction of the Departments of Agriculture or the Interior.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 5, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Forestry.
- **Mar 28, 2023:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 22, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Lands.
- **Mar 14, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 14, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, 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.