

HR 246

Marginal Well Protection Act

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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. (Jan 10, 2023)

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Sponsor

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

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Rep. Mann, Tracey [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Jan 25, 2023
Rep. Arrington, Jodey C. [R-TX-19]	R · TX		Feb 6, 2023
Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Feb 6, 2023
Rep. Moore, Barry [R-AL-2]	R · AL		Feb 6, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 10, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 10, 2023)

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This bill amends the Clean Air Act to exclude certain facilities from reporting and payment requirements related to methane waste emissions. Under the bill, the requirements do not apply to facilities that produce less than 15 barrels of oil per day and less than 90 thousand cubic feet of natural gas per day.

Actions Timeline

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