

HR 2685

Mining Schools Act of 2024

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Owens, Burgess [R-UT-4]
Party: Republican • **State:** UT • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (24 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Apr 18, 2023
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-21]	D · CA		Apr 18, 2023
Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Apr 18, 2023
Rep. Rosendale Sr., Matthew M. [R-MT-2]	R · MT		Apr 18, 2023
Rep. Stauber, Pete [R-MN-8]	R · MN		Apr 18, 2023
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Apr 18, 2023
Rep. Zinke, Ryan K. [R-MT-1]	R · MT		Apr 26, 2023
Rep. Stewart, Chris [R-UT-2]	R · UT		Apr 28, 2023
Rep. Curtis, John R. [R-UT-3]	R · UT		May 11, 2023
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-14]	D · CA		May 24, 2023
Rep. Fleischmann, Charles J. "Chuck" [R-TN-3]	R · TN		Jun 13, 2023
Rep. Johnson, Dusty [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Jun 13, 2023
Rep. Miller, Carol D. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Jul 11, 2023
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Jul 26, 2023
Rep. Nehls, Troy E. [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Sep 27, 2023
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		Sep 27, 2023
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Oct 11, 2023
Rep. Hageman, Harriet M. [R-WY-At Large]	R · WY		Nov 1, 2023
Rep. Maloy, Celeste [R-UT-2]	R · UT		Dec 19, 2023
Rep. Meuser, Daniel [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Jan 17, 2024
Rep. Ciscomani, Juan [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Feb 7, 2024
Rep. Pettersen, Brittany [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Apr 9, 2024
Rep. Caraveo, Yadira [D-CO-8]	D · CO		Oct 1, 2024
Rep. Amodei, Mark E. [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Oct 18, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jun 14, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 912	Identical bill	Jul 15, 2024: Held at the desk.

Summary (as of Apr 18, 2023)

Technology Grants to Strengthen Domestic Mining Education Act of 2023 or the Mining Schools Act of 2023

This bill requires the Department of Energy (DOE) to establish a grant program to support domestic mining education. Under the program, DOE must award up to 10 grants each year to mining schools for recruiting and educating mining engineers and other qualified professionals to meet future energy and mineral needs. In addition, the bill repeals the Mining and Mineral Resources Research Institute Act of 1984.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 12, 2024:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 118-864.
- **Dec 12, 2024:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 705.
- **Nov 20, 2024:** Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources Discharged
- **Nov 20, 2024:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Nov 20, 2024:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute by Voice Vote.
- **Jun 14, 2023:** Subcommittee Hearings Held
- **May 22, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Apr 18, 2023:** Introduced in House
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