

## HJRES 49

Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service relating to "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Endangered Species Status for Northern Long-Eared Bat".

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Animals

**Introduced:** Mar 30, 2023

**Current Status:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 73.

**Latest Action:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 73. (Jun 5, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-joint-resolution/49>

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### Committee Activity

| Committee                   | Chamber | Activity        | Date         |
|-----------------------------|---------|-----------------|--------------|
| Natural Resources Committee | House   | Discharged from | Apr 28, 2023 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Animals

## Related Bills

| Bill         | Relationship   | Last Action   |
|--------------|----------------|---|
| 118 SJRES 24 | Identical bill | <b>Sep 28, 2023:</b> Failed of passage in Senate over veto by Yea-Nay Vote. 47 - 45. Record Vote Number: 243. |

## Summary (as of Jun 5, 2023)

This joint resolution nullifies the final rule issued by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service titled *Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Endangered Species Status for Northern Long-Eared Bat* and published on November 30, 2022. This rule reclassifies the northern long-eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*) from a threatened species to an endangered species under the Endangered Species Act. The rule also removes the northern long-eared bat's species-specific rule, which applied only when the bat was listed as a threatened species.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jun 5, 2023:** Reported by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 118-96.
- **Jun 5, 2023:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 73.
- **Apr 28, 2023:** Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries Discharged.
- **Apr 28, 2023:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 28, 2023:** Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 17 - 12.
- **Apr 18, 2023:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Apr 14, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries.
- **Mar 30, 2023:** Introduced in House
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