

HR 5016

Water Efficiency, Conservation, and Sustainability Act of 2023

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 28, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 2654	Related bill	Jul 27, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S3763)

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This bill establishes three grant programs within the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to address water efficiency and water losses.

First, the EPA must establish a grant program to assist states, local governments, tribal governments, public water systems, and nonprofit organizations in carrying out their water efficiency incentive programs.

Second, the EPA must establish and carry out a program that provides grants and technical assistance for conducting annual audits of public water systems, implementing controls to address losses identified in the audits, and helping public water systems that have conducted and validated audits to establish water loss control programs.

Third, the EPA must establish a grant program to assist states, tribal governments, and local governments in adopting and implementing certain water-efficient plumbing codes.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 28, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment, Manufacturing, and Critical Materials.
- **Jul 27, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 27, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.