

## HR 133

### Protecting American Energy Production Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Energy

**Introduced:** Jan 3, 2025

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. (Jan 3, 2025)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Boebert, Lauren [R-CO-4]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 3, 2025
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 3, 2025

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Energy

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## **Protecting American Energy Production Act**

This bill prohibits the President from declaring a moratorium on the use of hydraulic fracturing unless Congress authorizes the moratorium. The bill also expresses the sense of Congress that states should maintain primacy (authority) for the regulation of hydraulic fracturing for oil and natural gas production on state and private lands.

Hydraulic fracturing, or fracking, is a process to extract underground resources such as oil or gas from a geologic formation by injecting water, a propping agent (e.g., sand), and chemical additives into a well under enough pressure to fracture the formation.

## Actions Timeline

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