

Bills concerning the Clean Air Act and MWAQC with actions since March 2011

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Number	Title	Status	Date	Description
S. Res. 119	A resolution recognizing past, present, and future public health and economic benefits of cleaner air due to the successful implementation of the Clean Air Act.	Environment and Public Works Committee	March 31, 2011	
S. 482	Energy Tax Prevention Act of 2011	Environment and Public Works Committee	March 3, 2011	Removes greenhouse gas emissions from Clean Air Act authority.
S. 609	Comprehensive Assessment of Regulations on the Economy Act of 2011	Environment and Public Works Committee	March 17, 2011	Pertains to major regulations including ozone, particulate matter and greenhouse gas emissions.
S. 699	Department of Energy Carbon Capture and Sequestration Program Amendments Act of 2011	Referred to Energy and Natural Resources Committee; Hearing scheduled	May 12, 2011	Program for demonstration of commercial application of CCS.
S. 706	3-D: Domestic Jobs, Domestic Energy, and Deficit Reduction Act of 2011	On Senate Calendar No. 23	April 4, 2011	Section 304 states that there will be no regulation of carbon dioxide, methane from agriculture and livestock, or water vapor under the Clean Air Act.

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H.R. 10	Regulations from the Executive in Need of Scrutiny Act of 2011 (REINS Act)	Judiciary Committee held hearings	March 8, 2011	Congress must approve major rules from agencies with a joint resolution of approval.
H.R. 910	Energy Tax Prevention Act of 2011	Passed 255-172, currently in Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works	April 7, 2011	Remove greenhouse gas emissions from Clean Air Act authority
H.R. 1204	To amend the Clean Air Act to eliminate the exemption for aggregation of emissions from oil and gas development sources	Energy and Commerce Committee, subcommittee on Energy and Power	March 28, 2011	
H.R. 1292	Energy Production Freedom Act	Energy and Commerce Committee, subcommittee on Energy and Power	April 7, 2011	Remove greenhouse gas emissions from Clean Air Act authority
H.R. 1582	Commonsense Ozone Regulation Act	Referred to Energy and Commerce Committee	April 15, 2011	1-hour ozone standards will not apply to current extreme nonattainment areas, who must first complete a feasibility study within 5 years of the final rule to determine costs of compliance.
H.R. 1705	To require analyses of impacts of the cumulative and incremental impacts of certain rules and actions of the EPA	Referred to Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	May 4, 2011	