

114TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

**S.** 1229

To require the Secretary of Energy to submit a plan to implement recommendations to improve interactions between the Department of Energy and National Laboratories.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Ms. MURKOWSKI introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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**A BILL**

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. PLAN TO IMPROVE INTERACTIONS BETWEEN**  
4 **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND NATIONAL**  
5 **LABORATORIES.**

6 Not later than 90 days after the date of enactment  
7 of this Act, the Secretary of Energy shall submit to the  
8 Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the Sen-

1 ate and the Committee on Energy and Commerce of the  
2 House of Representatives a plan to implement rec-  
3 ommendations made by the Commission to Review the Ef-  
4 fectiveness of the National Energy Laboratories estab-  
5 lished under section 319 of the Energy and Water Devel-  
6 opment and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2014  
7 (Public Law 113-76; 128 Stat. 178) to improve inter-  
8 actions between the Department of Energy and the Na-  
9 tional Laboratories of the Department.