

107TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2101

To establish that it is the policy of the United States that public lands be used for public utility infrastructure before private lands are condemned for such purpose, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 7, 2001

Mr. CALVERT introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on 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

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. USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY PUBLIC UTILI-**
4 **TIES.**

5 It is the policy of the United States that public lands
6 be used for the siting of electric utility transmission facili-

- 1 ties and other utility infrastructure before private property
- 2 is acquired by condemnation for such purposes.

