

PFAS/Drinking Water Standard: Federal Legislation Introduced Imposing Mandate for U.S. Environmental Protection Agency



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H.R. 2377 was introduced into the United States Congress which would amend the Safe Drinking Water Act ("SDWA") to require that the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") publish a Maximum Contaminant Level goal for total per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (collectively "PFAS").

The bill would also require the promulgation of a SDWA national primary drinking water regulation for PFAS.

Sponsors of H.R. 2377 include:

- Congressman Boyle
- Congressman Pallone
- Congressman Tonko
- Congressman Kildee
- Congressman Fitzpatrick

The bill is titled:

Protect Drinking Water from PFAS Act of 2019

The bill has been referred to the United States House of Representatives Energy and Commerce Committee.

A copy of the bill can be found [here](#).