

115TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2389

To reauthorize the West Valley demonstration project, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 4, 2017

Mr. REED (for himself, Mr. NADLER, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, and Ms. SLAUGHTER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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## A BILL

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for other purposes.

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. WEST VALLEY DEMONSTRATION PROJECT.**

4 (a) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—Section  
5 3 of the West Valley Demonstration Project Act (Public  
6 Law 96–368; 42 U.S.C. 2021a note) is amended by strik-  
7 ing “\$5,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30,  
8 1981” and inserting “\$75,000,000 for each of fiscal years  
9 2017 through 2026”.

1           (b) TREATMENT OF WASTE.—All radioactive waste  
2 at the high level radioactive waste management dem-  
3 onstration project at the Western New York Service Cen-  
4 ter in West Valley, New York, carried out under the West  
5 Valley Demonstration Project Act shall be considered to  
6 be waste resulting from atomic energy defense activities,  
7 as defined in section 2 of the Nuclear Waste Policy Act  
8 of 1982 (42 U.S.C. 10101).

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