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Bibliogov, United States, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. Congress authorizes Army Corps of Engineers water resources studies and projects before appropriating funds to them. The 109th Congress is considering authorizing Corps activities through a Water Resources Development Act (WRDA) -- H.R. 2864. The House passed H.R. 2864 in July 2005; the Senate passed the bill in July 2006. Conferees were named in mid-September 2006. The conference committee is faced with numerous differences between the two versions. Issues reportedly shaping the negotiations include the specifics of Corps reform measures (such as independent review and fish and wildlife mitigation provisions) and general concerns about the overall level of authorizations in the bills, leading to differences of opinion about which projects to authorize and the cost-share and other specifics of those authorizations. The Administration has expressed concerns about both the level of authorizations in the House and Senate versions, and specific provisions in both versions related to Corps policy and specific projects. Policy Reforms. The two versions differ in their provisions for changes in Corps policy and procedures, with the independent review provisions receiving the greatest attention. The two...



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