

## HR 1830

Energy Independence Act of 2001

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Energy

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality. (May 22, 2001)

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 22, 2001
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred to	May 21, 2001
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred to	May 17, 2001

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Energy

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of May 15, 2001)

Energy Independence Act of 2001 - Directs the Secretary of Energy to: (1) develop and transmit to Congress a strategic plan to ensure that the United States is energy self-sufficient by the year 2011; and (2) develop a program for the acquisition of certain commercially available fuel cell power plants and power generated therefrom for use at federally owned or operated facilities.

Directs the President, in coordination with designated Secretaries, to establish: (1) a demonstration program for fuel cell proton exchange membrane technology for commercial, residential, and transportation applications (including buses) within the Secretaries' respective areas of responsibility; and (2) a comprehensive proton exchange membrane fuel cell bus demonstration program to address hydrogen production, storage, and use in transit bus applications.

Requires each Federal agency that maintains a motor vehicle fleet to develop a plan for fleet transition to vehicles powered by fuel cell technology.

Directs the Secretary of Energy to establish a fuel cell technology grant program for State or local government to meet their energy requirements, including such technology as a motor vehicle power source.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 22, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality.
- **May 21, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Technology and Procurement Policy.
- **May 17, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
- **May 15, 2001:** Introduced in House
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