

## S 196

A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a refundable personal credit for energy conservation expenditures, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Jan 29, 2001

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jan 29, 2001)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/107th-congress/senate-bill/196>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 29, 2001

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jan 29, 2001)

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow an annual residential energy credit of up to \$2,000 for qualifying conservation expenditures.

Directs the Secretary of Energy to establish the Elementary and Secondary School Energy Efficiency and Conservation Program to provide grants to local educational agencies to retrofit schools for increased energy conservation.

Requires electric utility company billing statements to provide peak and nonpeak hour energy use and rate information.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jan 29, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 29, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S644)
- **Jan 29, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.