

HR 2000

Renewable Energy from Agricultural Products (REAP) Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Technology and Procurement Policy.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Technology and Procurement Policy. (Jun 6, 2001)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • State: IA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 4, 2001
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 6, 2001
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 24, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Renewable Energy from Agricultural Products (REAP) Act - Amends the Internal Revenue Code respecting the credit for electricity produced from certain renewable resources to: (1) extend the credit; (2) expand the scope of qualifying closed-loop facilities; (3) make qualifying biomass (other than closed-loop biomass) and biomass facilities eligible for the credit; and (4) include electricity produced from agricultural and animal waste within the credit.

Establishes a reduced excise tax rate for qualified biodiesel mixtures.

Amends the Food Security Act of 1985 to permit harvesting of switch grass on conservation reserve acreage for energy production purposes.

Requires Federal diesel vehicles to use biodiesel fuel unless cost-prohibitive.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 6, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Technology and Procurement Policy.
- **Jun 4, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, Rural Development and Research.
- **Jun 4, 2001:** Executive Comment Requested from USDA.
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