

HR 1859

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from income and employment taxes and wage withholding property tax rebates and other benefits provided to volunteer firefighters and emergency medical responders.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 29, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 1512	Identical bill	Jul 31, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR 8/1/2003 S10635-10636)

Summary (as of Apr 29, 2003)

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to exclude from income and employment taxes and wage withholding a rebate of real or personal property taxes, or any other benefit, provided by a State or political subdivision on account of services performed as a member of a qualified volunteer emergency response organization.

Actions Timeline

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