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S 809

A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce the tax on beer to its pre-1991 level.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Taxation
Introduced: Apr 8, 2003

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Apr 8, 2003)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]

Party: Republican • State: PA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	$R \cdot GA$		May 14, 2003
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$		May 6, 2004
Sen. Lott, Trent [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$		May 6, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 8, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 1305	Identical bill	Mar 18, 2003: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Apr 8, 2003)

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to reduce from \$18 to \$9 (its pre-1991 level) the per-barrel tax on beer.

Actions Timeline

- Apr 8, 2003: Introduced in Senate
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