

S 1824

Strengthen the Earned Income Tax Credit Act of 2005

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Taxation

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Oct 5, 2005)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Oct 5, 2005
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Oct 27, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 6, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 5601	Related bill	Jun 13, 2006: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Oct 5, 2005)

Strengthen the Earned Income Tax Credit Act of 2005 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) make permanent the reduction in the marriage penalty applicable to the earned income tax credit; (2) increase the percentage of such credit for families with three or more children; (3) reduce the phase-out of such credit for individuals without children; and (4) make permanent provisions treating combat pay as earned income for purposes of calculating such credit.

Actions Timeline

- Oct 5, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- Oct 5, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S11141-11142)
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