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# S 1982

Home Energy Assistance Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Taxation
Introduced: Nov 9, 2005

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S12614)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S12614) (Nov

9, 2005)

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#### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]

Party: Republican • State: ME • Chamber: Senate

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 9, 2005

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

### **Policy Area:**

Taxation

### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Nov 9, 2005)

Home Energy Assistance Act of 2005 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow a tax credit for residential heating costs paid in 2006. Allows a maximum credit of \$500, but reduces or eliminates such credit for taxpayers at higher income levels.

Requires integrated oil companies with gross receipts in excess of \$1 billion to use the first-in, first-out (FIFO) inventory accounting method for purposes of determining their current federal income tax liabilities.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Nov 9, 2005: Introduced in Senate
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