

## HR 2070

Gas Price Spike Act of 2005

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Energy

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### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Kucinich, Dennis J. [D-OH-10]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** OH • **Chamber:** House

**Cosponsors** (51 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Abercrombie, Neil [D-HI-1]	D · HI		May 4, 2005
Rep. Carson, Julia [D-IN-7]	D · IN		May 4, 2005
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		May 4, 2005
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		May 4, 2005
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		May 4, 2005
Rep. Evans, Lane [D-IL-17]	D · IL		May 4, 2005
Rep. Farr, Sam [D-CA-17]	D · CA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]	D · CA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Frank, Barney [D-MA-4]	D · MA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		May 4, 2005
Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		May 4, 2005
Rep. Hinchey, Maurice D. [D-NY-22]	D · NY		May 4, 2005
Rep. Kanjorski, Paul E. [D-PA-11]	D · PA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		May 4, 2005
Rep. Kildee, Dale E. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		May 4, 2005
Rep. Lantos, Tom [D-CA-12]	D · CA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		May 4, 2005
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		May 4, 2005
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		May 4, 2005
Rep. McKinney, Cynthia A. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		May 4, 2005
Rep. Olver, John W. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		May 4, 2005
Rep. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT-At Large]	I · VT		May 4, 2005
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		May 4, 2005
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27]	D · CA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-28]	D · NY		May 4, 2005
Rep. Solis, Hilda L. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Strickland, Ted [D-OH-6]	D · OH		May 4, 2005
Rep. Stupak, Bart [D-MI-1]	D · MI		May 4, 2005
Rep. Visclosky, Peter J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		May 4, 2005
Rep. Woolsey, Lynn C. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		May 4, 2005
Rep. Berman, Howard L. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Jun 15, 2005
Rep. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Jul 11, 2005
Rep. Fattah, Chaka [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Jul 11, 2005
Rep. Jackson, Jesse L., Jr. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Jul 11, 2005
Rep. Tierney, John F. [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Sep 20, 2005
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Sep 29, 2005
Rep. Meehan, Martin T. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Mar 9, 2006
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Apr 27, 2006

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-14]	D · PA		Apr 27, 2006
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Apr 27, 2006
Rep. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Apr 27, 2006
Rep. McNulty, Michael R. [D-NY-21]	D · NY		Apr 27, 2006
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Apr 27, 2006
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Apr 27, 2006
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Apr 27, 2006
Rep. Wynn, Albert Russell [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Apr 27, 2006
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		May 2, 2006
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		May 19, 2006

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	May 5, 2005
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 4, 2005

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Energy

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
<a href="#">109 HR 4263</a>	Related bill	<b>Apr 26, 2006:</b> Motion to Discharge Committee filed by Mr. Markey. Petition No: 109-12. (<a href="http://clerk.house.gov/109/lrc/pd/Petitions/Dis12.htm">Discharge petition</a> text with signatures.)
<a href="#">109 S 1981</a>	Related bill	<b>Apr 25, 2006:</b> Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3441)
<a href="#">109 HR 4449</a>	Related bill	<b>Mar 27, 2006:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.
<a href="#">109 HR 4248</a>	Related bill	<b>Mar 24, 2006:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.
<a href="#">109 HR 4276</a>	Related bill	<b>Mar 24, 2006:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.
<a href="#">109 S 1631</a>	Related bill	<b>Feb 15, 2006:</b> Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1346)
<a href="#">109 S 2103</a>	Related bill	<b>Dec 14, 2005:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
<a href="#">109 HR 4203</a>	Related bill	<b>Nov 2, 2005:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
<a href="#">109 S 1809</a>	Related bill	<b>Oct 3, 2005:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
<a href="#">109 HR 3752</a>	Related bill	<b>Sep 13, 2005:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
<a href="#">109 HR 3664</a>	Related bill	<b>Sep 7, 2005:</b> Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Appropriations, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
<a href="#">109 HR 3544</a>	Related bill	<b>Aug 8, 2005:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.

## Summary (as of May 4, 2005)

Gas Price Spike Act of 2005 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to impose a windfall profit tax on crude oil, natural gas, or products of crude oil or natural gas. Defines "windfall profit" as so much of the profit on a sale of crude oil, natural gas, or related products as exceeds a reasonable profit. Establishes the Reasonable Profits Board to determine levels of reasonable profit from the sale of such products.

Allows a tax credit for the purchase of certain fuel-efficient, American-made passenger vehicles.

Authorizes the Secretary of Transportation to make grants to operators of mass transit systems, including bus and commuter rail systems, to reduce passenger fares on such systems.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 3, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1986-1987)
- **Sep 21, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1913)
- **May 5, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways, Transit and Pipelines.
- **May 4, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **May 4, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **May 4, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E867)
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