

HR 3451

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the use of redevelopment bonds for environmental remediation.

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**Chamber:** House  
**Policy Area:** Taxation  
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Sponsor

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**Party:** Republican • **State:** PA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Dent, Charles W. [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Dec 15, 2005
Rep. Miller, Gary G. [R-CA-42]	R · CA		May 25, 2006
Rep. Turner, Michael R. [R-OH-3]	R · OH		May 25, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 27, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 27, 2005)

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow the use of tax-exempt redevelopment bonds for the costs of environmental remediation. Defines "environmental remediation" as: (1) abatement or control of hazardous substances; (2) demolition of existing contaminated structures, permit fees necessary for remediation, and environmental audits; (3) health assessments or health effects studies related to a contaminated site; and (4) remediation of off-site contamination caused by activity on a contaminated site. Denies an income tax deduction for interest paid on redevelopment bonds for environmental remediation if the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency determines that a remediation plan financed with redevelopment bonds was not satisfactorily completed.

## Actions Timeline

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