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SRES 372

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that oil and gas companies should not be provided outer Continental Shelf royalty relief when energy prices are at historic highs.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Energy
Introduced: Feb 14, 2006

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1180)

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Party: Democratic • State: MA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

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Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Feb 15, 2006
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 15, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 14, 2006)

Expresses the sense of the Senate that: (1) the Minerals Management Service should suspend all future royalty relief until the Secretary of the Interior can ensure that the citizens of the United States receive a fair return from oil and gas resources from the outer Continental Shelf; and (2) Congress must take steps to ensure that the oil and gas industry does not receive a windfall and is not unjustly enriched at citizen expense.

Actions Timeline

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