

HR 388

Biofuels Energy Independence Act of 2005

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

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Current Status: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1823)

Latest Action: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1823) (Apr 26, 2006)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]

Party: Democratic • State: OH • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Abercrombie, Neil [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Jan 26, 2005
Rep. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Jan 26, 2005
Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Jan 26, 2005
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Jan 26, 2005
Rep. Hinchey, Maurice D. [D-NY-22]	D · NY		Jan 26, 2005
Rep. Kildee, Dale E. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Jan 26, 2005
Rep. Oberstar, James L. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Jan 26, 2005
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-17]	D · OH		Jan 26, 2005
Rep. Strickland, Ted [D-OH-6]	D · OH		Jan 26, 2005
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Feb 14, 2005
Rep. Evans, Lane [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Nov 18, 2005
Rep. Sabo, Martin Olav [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Nov 18, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 17, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Jan 26, 2005)

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Biofuels Energy Independence Act of 2005 - Authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to make and guarantee loans for biofuel production, distribution, development, and storage. Sets forth loan eligibility provisions. Directs the Secretary to establish a related revolving fund.

Authorizes the Secretary to administer a Biofuels Feedstocks Energy Reserve to: (1) provide feedstocks in furtherance of biofuel-based energy production; and (2) support the biofuels energy industry when production is at risk due to feedstock reductions or commodity price increases. Sets forth related provisions respecting commercial commodity purchases, release of commodity stocks, and storage payments.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 26, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1823)
- **Sep 13, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H7843-7844)
- **Mar 17, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1680)
- **Feb 17, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition and Forestry.
- **Jan 26, 2005:** Introduced in House
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