

## HR 4594

To require certain reports with respect to the energy efficiency design performance of new Federal buildings.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Energy

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality. (Jan 3, 2006)

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### Sponsor

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 3, 2006
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 19, 2005

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Energy

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Dec 16, 2005)

Amends the Energy Conservation and Production Act to require federal agencies to include in annual budget requests and certain annual federal energy management reports submitted to the Secretary of Energy: (1) 18 months after completion of a new federal building, a report outlining the building's performance in achieving energy efficiency design goals, describing the reasons for any failure to meet such goals as well as corrective actions to be taken, and stating how performance was measured and an estimate of additional energy costs to be incurred by not meeting the design requirements; and (2) if a building fails to achieve design goals, a second report to Congress assessing the building's performance after corrective actions have been taken, which shall also state any reasons for failure to continue to meet the performance requirements.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 3, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality.
- **Dec 19, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **Dec 17, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2580-2581)
- **Dec 16, 2005:** Introduced in House
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