

## HR 5262

Tax Free Health Savings Act of 2006

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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Rep. McCrery, Jim [R-LA-4]	R · LA		May 23, 2006
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Rep. Akin, W. Todd [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Jun 7, 2006
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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 2, 2006

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 6065	Related bill	<b>Sep 13, 2006:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

## Summary (as of May 2, 2006)

Tax Free Health Savings Act of 2006 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) allow individual taxpayers a tax deduction for high deductible health plan premiums, a tax credit for employment taxes related to the payment of such premiums, and a refundable tax credit for the coverage costs under a high deductible health plan; (2) direct the Secretary of the Treasury to establish a program for advance payments of tax credit amounts to providers of high deductible health plans; (3) increase the tax deduction for contributions to health savings accounts; (4) allow health savings accounts to incorporate flexible spending arrangements or health reimbursement arrangements, or both; (5) allow payment of high deductible health plan premiums from health savings accounts; and (6) exempt employers from health savings account contribution requirements for certain employees with high levels of medical expenses.

## Actions Timeline

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