

HR 5462

To suspend the Federal highway fuels taxes, to authorize the leasing, development, production, and transportation of oil and gas in and from the Coastal Plain of Alaska, and for other purposes.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

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Latest Action: Executive Comment Requested from Interior. (Jun 21, 2006)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred To	May 23, 2006
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 23, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 23, 2006)

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to suspend excise taxes on gasoline, diesel fuel, and kerosene for a 90-day period after the enactment of this Act (suspension period). Provides for the reimbursement of the Highway Trust Fund and the Leaking Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund for tax receipts lost during the suspension period.

Directs the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), to: (1) establish an oil and gas leasing program in the Coastal Plain, defined as the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR) 102 Coastal Plain Area; and (2) conduct two lease sales before October 1, 2010.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 21, 2006:** Executive Comment Requested from Interior.
- **May 23, 2006:** Introduced in House
- **May 23, 2006:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

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