HR 5534

To provide grants from moneys collected from violations of the corporate average fuel economy program to be used to expand infrastructure necessary to increase the availability of alternative fuels.

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Chamber: House
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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (Aug 4, 2006)
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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (9 total)

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Rep. Fossella, Vito [R-NY-13]	R · NY		Jun 6, 2006
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Rep. Ehlers, Vernon J. [R-MI-3]	R · MI		Jun 19, 2006
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Rep. Hayes, Robin [R-NC-8]	R · NC		Jun 22, 2006
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 19, 2006
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Aug 4, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 24, 2006)

Establishes in the Treasury a Fuel Economy Fund to be: (1) funded by fines, penalties, and other moneys obtained through certain enforcement actions (subject to the availability of funds provided in advance in appropriations Acts); and (2) used by the Secretary of Energy to implement a grant program for the construction or expansion of infrastructure necessary to increase the availability to consumers of alternative fuels.

Declares eligible for such grant any entity also eligible for assistance through the Clean Cities Program of the Department of Energy.

Declares ineligible for such grant any large, vertically integrated oil company.

Prohibits any grant award totaling more than $60,000 in any fiscal year.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 4, 2006:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Jul 25, 2006:** Received in the Senate.
- **Jul 24, 2006:** Mr. Rogers (MI) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jul 24, 2006:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5634-5635)
- **Jul 24, 2006:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5534.
- **Jul 24, 2006:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jul 24, 2006:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5649-5650)
- **Jul 24, 2006:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 355 - 9 (Roll no. 396).(text: CR H5634)
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- **Jul 24, 2006:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 24, 2006:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 28, 2006:** Reported by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 109-535.
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- **Jun 28, 2006:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 299.
- **Jun 20, 2006:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 20, 2006:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Jun 19, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality.
- **Jun 6, 2006:** Introduced in House
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