

HR 6137

Tax Snooping Prevention Act of 2006

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Sep 21, 2006)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** House

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Rep. Ramstad, Jim [R-MN-3]	R · MN		Sep 21, 2006
Rep. Weller, Jerry [R-IL-11]	R · IL		Sep 21, 2006
Rep. Johnson, Sam [R-TX-3]	R · TX		Sep 27, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 21, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 21, 2006)

Tax Snooping Prevention Act of 2006 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to double the dollar amount of civil damages available and the criminal fines for unauthorized inspection or disclosure of tax returns and return information.

Amends the Internal Revenue Service Restructuring and Reform Act of 1998 to require the firing of Internal Revenue Service (IRS) employees who violate IRS policy on unauthorized inspection of tax returns or return information.

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