

HR 726

Erroneous Tax Refund Fairness Act

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Feb 9, 2005

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Feb 9, 2005)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Sanchez, Loretta [D-CA-47]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Feb 9, 2005
Rep. Evans, Lane [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Feb 9, 2005
Rep. Millender-McDonald, Juanita [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Feb 9, 2005
Rep. Moore, Dennis [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Feb 9, 2005
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Feb 9, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 9, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 9, 2005)

Erroneous Tax Refund Fairness Act - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to require the Secretary of the Treasury to abate interest on erroneous refund checks without regard to the amount of the refund check (current law provides for no abatement for refund checks exceeding \$50,000 or for erroneous refunds caused by the taxpayer or a related third party). Authorizes the Secretary to deny abatement if the taxpayer received notice of the erroneous refund before the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) made demand for repayment and did not attempt to resolve the issue within 30 days.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 9, 2005:** Introduced in House
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- **Feb 9, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E198-199)
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