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S 1689

Civil Rights Tax Relief Act of 2007 Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate Policy Area: Taxation Introduced: Jun 25, 2007

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jun 25, 2007)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 25, 2007

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 1540	Related bill	Mar 15, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Jun 25, 2007)

Civil Rights Tax Relief Act of 2007 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) allow an exclusion from gross income for amounts received (either backpay or frontpay or punitive damages) on account of an unlawful discrimination claim; and (2) allow income averaging for backpay and frontpay amounts received from such claims.

Actions Timeline

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