

S 3249

Mobile Wireless Tax Fairness Act of 2008

**Congress:** 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Jul 10, 2008

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6571-6572)

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6571-6572)  
(Jul 10, 2008)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/senate-bill/3249>

Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** OR • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jul 10, 2008
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Sep 26, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 10, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 5793	Related bill	<b>Apr 28, 2008:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law.
110 HR 436	Related bill	<b>Feb 2, 2007:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law.
110 S 166	Related bill	<b>Jan 4, 2007:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Jul 10, 2008)

Mobile Wireless Tax Fairness Act of 2008 - Prohibits states or local governments from imposing any new discriminatory tax on mobile services, mobile service providers, or mobile service property for five years after the enactment of this Act. Defines "new discriminatory tax" as a tax imposed on mobile services, providers, or property that is not generally imposed on other types of services or property, or that is generally imposed at a lower rate.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 10, 2008:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 10, 2008:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6571)
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