

HR 5977

TRUCC Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	May 6, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 5997	Text similarities	May 9, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
110 HR 5934	Related bill	May 1, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
110 S 2910	Related bill	Apr 24, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Summary (as of May 6, 2008)

Trust in Reliable Understanding of Consumer Costs Act, or the TRUCC Act - Amends federal transportation law to require certain fuel costs disclosures and fuel costs reimbursements by a motor carrier, broker, or freight forwarder providing or arranging transportation or service using fuel for which it does not bear the cost.

Requires such a motor carrier, broker, or freight forwarder to: (1) reimburse persons (truckers) that do bear fuel costs for any such costs they have paid; and (2) give such persons a written list that identifies any freight charge, brokerage fee or commission, fuel surcharge or adjustment, and any other charges.

Prohibits any person from causing a motor carrier, broker, or freight forwarder to present false or misleading information on a document or in an oral representation about the actual rate, charge, or allowance to any party to the transaction or transportation.

Actions Timeline

- **May 6, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **May 6, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.
- **May 6, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.