

HR 6749

ECOBAG Act of 2008

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Jul 31, 2008

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Jul 31, 2008)

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Sponsor

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

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Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Sep 11, 2008
Rep. Moore, Dennis [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Sep 11, 2008
Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-2]	D · NY		Sep 18, 2008
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Sep 27, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 31, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 31, 2008)

Economic Credit Opportunity for Businesses Acting Green Act of 2008 or the ECOBAG Act of 2008 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow retailers a tax credit for up to 15% of the amount paid to implement an at-store recycling program for one or more types of plastic carry-out bags, film plastic, and other types of plastic specified by Treasury regulations.

Actions Timeline

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