

HR 6854

Fair Deal for Volunteers Act of 2008

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Sep 10, 2008

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Sep 10, 2008)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]

Party: Democratic • State: GA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Ramstad, Jim [R-MN-3]	R · MN		Sep 10, 2008
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Sep 29, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 10, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 3532	Related bill	Sep 22, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S9210)
110 HR 6835	Related bill	Sep 8, 2008: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
110 S 3421	Related bill	Aug 1, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
110 S 3246	Related bill	Jul 10, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6567)
110 HR 6368	Related bill	Jun 25, 2008: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
110 HR 6283	Related bill	Jun 17, 2008: Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
110 S 3032	Related bill	May 19, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
110 S 1220	Related bill	Apr 25, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
110 HR 2020	Related bill	Apr 24, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Sep 10, 2008)

Fair Deal for Volunteers Act of 2008 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) increase the standard mileage rate for use of a passenger automobile for charitable purposes to a rate not less than the rate used for the tax deduction for medical expenses; and (2) exclude from the gross income of charitable volunteers reimbursements paid to them for the use of a passenger automobile for the benefit of a charitable organization.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 10, 2008:** Introduced in House
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