



HR 7194

Climate Change Rebate Act of 2008

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

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**Sponsor** 

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Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 27, 2008
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 27, 2008
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 27, 2008

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

**Policy Area:** 

**Environmental Protection** 

## **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

Climate Change Rebate Act of 2008 - Requires that 35% of the total value of greenhouse gas emission allowances created by federal legislation limiting such emissions be auctioned each year to finance the purposes of this Act.

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow certain low-income taxpayers a refundable tax credit for energy cost increases attributable to carbon regulation (climate change tax credit).

Requires the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to: (1) formulate and administer a Climate Change Rebate Program to provide monthly rebates based on energy cost increases to low-income families and families receiving federal assistance; (2) establish a schedule and standards to implement such Program.

Requires receipts from the auction of greenhouse gas emission allowances to be used equally for the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program and the Weatherization Assistance Program under the Energy Conservation and Production Act.

## **Actions Timeline**

- Sep 27, 2008: Introduced in House
- Sep 27, 2008: Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and Education and Labor, 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.
- Sep 27, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality.