

S 243

GIVE Act of 2009

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Jan 14, 2009

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S393)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S393) (Jan 14, 2009)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/senate-bill/243>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]

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

Cosponsors (16 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
|----------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN] | R · TN | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC] | R · NC | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA] | D · WA | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT] | D · CT | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV] | R · NV | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI] | D · WI | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA] | R · IA | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT] | D · VT | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT] | I · VT | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY] | D · NY | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME] | R · ME | | Jan 14, 2009 |
| Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL] | D · IL | | Jan 21, 2009 |
| Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME] | R · ME | | Mar 18, 2009 |
| Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA] | D · CA | | May 5, 2009 |
| Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR] | D · OR | | May 13, 2009 |
| Sen. Johanns, Mike [R-NE] | R · NE | | Feb 26, 2010 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
|-------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Finance Committee | Senate | Referred To | Jan 14, 2009 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
|------------|----------------|--|
| 111 HR 524 | Identical bill | Jan 14, 2009: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. |

Summary (as of Jan 14, 2009)

Giving Incentives to Volunteers Everywhere Act of 2009 or the GIVE Act of 2009 - 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 transportation 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

- **Jan 14, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 14, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S392-393)
- **Jan 14, 2009:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S393)