

HR 2539

No More Excuses Energy Act of 2009

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Environment. (Jun 2, 2009)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Thornberry, Mac [R-TX-13]

Party: Republican • State: TX • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Burton, Dan [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Jun 3, 2009
Rep. Neugebauer, Randy [R-TX-19]	R · TX		Jun 10, 2009
Rep. Souder, Mark E. [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Jun 10, 2009
Rep. McCotter, Thaddeus G. [R-MI-11]	R · MI		Jun 23, 2009
Rep. Terry, Lee [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Jul 13, 2009
Rep. Forbes, J. Randy [R-VA-4]	R · VA		Mar 18, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 2, 2009
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 1, 2009
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 21, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

No More Excuses Energy Act of 2009 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) allow the issuance of tax exempt facility bonds for the financing of domestic use oil refinery facilities; (2) extend the tax credit for producing electricity from renewable resources; (3) extend through 2018 the energy tax credit for solar energy; (4) set the rate of the excise tax on liquefied natural gas to 24.3 cents per energy equivalent of a gallon of diesel; (5) extend through 2010 the excise tax credit for alternative fuel; (6) allow tax credits for the production of electricity from nuclear energy and the production of fuel from certain onshore wells; and (7) repeal the minimum gas capture requirement for purposes of the carbon dioxide sequestration tax credit.

Requires the President to designate at least 10 sites for oil or natural gas refineries on federal lands and make such sites available to the private sector for construction of refineries.

Prohibits the Nuclear Regulatory Commission from denying an application for nuclear waste disposal on the grounds of present or future insufficient capacity.

American-Made Energy and Good Jobs Act - Directs the Secretary of the Interior to establish and implement a competitive oil and gas leasing program in the Coastal Plain of Alaska.

Repeals the prohibition against producing oil and gas from the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge.

Sets forth requirements for the sale of oil and natural gas leases in the Coastal Plain, environmental protection, transportation easements, and royalty payments to Alaska.

Establishes in the Treasury the Coastal Plain Local Government Impact Aid Assistance Fund to assist Alaska jurisdictions that are directly impacted by oil and gas exploration and production in the Coastal Plain.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 2, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Environment.
- **Jun 1, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **May 21, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **May 21, 2009:** Referred to House Natural Resources
- **May 21, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Energy and Commerce, 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.
- **May 21, 2009:** Referred to House Ways and Means
- **May 21, 2009:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce