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Telephone Excise Tax Repeal Act of 2009

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Taxation

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jan 6, 2009)

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Party: Republican • **State:** NV • **Chamber:** Senate

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 6, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 3011	Identical bill	Jun 24, 2009: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
111 HR 2203	Identical bill	Apr 30, 2009: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
111 S 71	Identical bill	Jan 6, 2009: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Jan 6, 2009)

Telephone Excise Tax Repeal Act of 2009 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to repeal the excise tax on communication services (i.e., local telephone service, toll telephone service, and teletypewriter exchange service).

Actions Timeline

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