

HR 611

Marginal Well Production Preservation and Enhancement Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment. (Jan 22, 2009)

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Sponsor

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**Party:** Democratic • **State:** OK • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 22, 2009
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 22, 2009
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Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 21, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 286	Identical bill	<b>Jan 21, 2009:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Marginal Well Production Preservation and Enhancement Act - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) increase to 27.5% the percentage depletion allowance for domestic crude oil and natural gas production from marginal properties; (2) extend through 2010 the temporary suspension of the taxable income limit with respect to marginal production of crude oil and natural gas; and (3) accelerate to three years the recovery period of qualified tertiary injectant property for depreciation purposes.

Amends the Clean Air Act with respect to emissions from small oil and gas exploration and production-related equipment.

Amends the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to: (1) amend the definition of "wastewater treatment facility" to include produced water from an oil production facility; and (2) require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to establish cost-effective minimal requirements for the prevention of oil and hazardous substance discharges for small facilities with oil storage capacities of less than 50,000 gallons at which no single tank exceeds a nominal capacity of 21,000 gallons.

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### **Actions Timeline**

- **Jan 22, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials.
- **Jan 22, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Environment.
- **Jan 22, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Jan 22, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Jan 21, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 21, 2009:** Referred to House Ways and Means
- **Jan 21, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.
- **Jan 21, 2009:** Referred to House Energy and Commerce
- **Jan 21, 2009:** Referred to House Transportation and Infrastructure