

HR 891

Commuter Benefits Equity Act of 2009

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Rep. Tauscher, Ellen O. [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Feb 4, 2009
Rep. Tierney, John F. [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Feb 4, 2009
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Feb 4, 2009
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Feb 9, 2009
Rep. Massa, Eric J. J. [D-NY-29]	D · NY		Feb 9, 2009
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Rep. Sutton, Betty [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Feb 9, 2009
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Rep. Stark, Fortney Pete [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Mar 24, 2009

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Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Mar 24, 2009
Rep. Sestak, Joe [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Jul 20, 2009
Rep. Miller, George [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Apr 15, 2010
Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Apr 26, 2010
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Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Dec 1, 2010
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Dec 2, 2010
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Rep. Richardson, Laura [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Dec 21, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 4, 2009
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 4, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 322	Identical bill	Jan 26, 2009: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Feb 4, 2009)

Commuter Benefits Equity Act of 2009 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to equalize and increase to \$230, with a cost-of-living adjustment after 2009, the tax exclusion for both transportation and parking fringe benefits. Extends such benefits to federal employees.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 4, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 4, 2009:** Referred to House Ways and Means
- **Feb 4, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, 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.
- **Feb 4, 2009:** Referred to House Oversight and Government Reform