

S 1796

Free File Program Act of 2011

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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. (Nov 3, 2011)

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Committee Activity

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| Finance Committee | Senate | Referred To | Nov 3, 2011 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 112 HR 2569 | Related bill | Jul 15, 2011: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. |

Free File Program Act of 2011 - Authorizes and directs the Secretary of the Treasury to continue to operate the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Free File program (free online individual income tax preparation and electronic filing services provided by the private sector technology industry to lower income taxpayers).

Actions Timeline

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