

HR 2959

Charitable Agricultural Research Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Mar 20, 2012
Rep. Lankford, James [R-OK-5]	R · OK		May 30, 2012
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		May 30, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 15, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 1561	Identical bill	Sep 15, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Sep 15, 2011)

Charitable Agricultural Research Act - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) allow a tax deduction for a charitable contribution to an agricultural research organization directly engaged in the continuous active conduct of agricultural research, and (2) make prohibitions against expenditures to influence legislation applicable to such organizations.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 15, 2011:** Introduced in House
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