

HR 5825

Rural Energy Improvement Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

Introduced: May 17, 2012

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Forestry.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Forestry. (May 30, 2012)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** VT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	May 30, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 2225	Related bill	Mar 22, 2012: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2003)

Summary (as of May 17, 2012)

Rural Energy Improvement Act - Amends the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 regarding the Rural Energy for America Program to: (1) extend the Program through FY2017, (2) create a tiered loan and grant application process that reflects project costs, and (3) prohibit requiring a second meter for on-farm residential portions of rural projects connected to the energy grid.

Actions Timeline

- **May 30, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Energy, and Forestry.
- **May 17, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **May 17, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.