

HR 601

End Big Oil Tax Subsidies Act of 2011

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]

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

Cosponsors (52 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Capps, Lois [D-CA-23]	D · CA		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Hinchey, Maurice D. [D-NY-22]	D · NY		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Miller, George [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Polis, Jared [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Stark, Fortney Pete [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Sutton, Betty [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Feb 10, 2011
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Feb 14, 2011
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Feb 14, 2011
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		Feb 14, 2011
Rep. Olver, John W. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Feb 14, 2011
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Feb 14, 2011
Rep. Woolsey, Lynn C. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Feb 14, 2011
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Feb 16, 2011
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-12]	D · CA		Feb 16, 2011
Rep. Frank, Barney [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Mar 3, 2011
Rep. Kucinich, Dennis J. [D-OH-10]	D · OH		Mar 3, 2011
Rep. Tierney, John F. [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Mar 3, 2011
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Mar 11, 2011
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-28]	D · NY		Mar 11, 2011
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Mar 15, 2011
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Mar 17, 2011
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Mar 17, 2011
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Apr 14, 2011
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Apr 14, 2011
Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	D · NY		May 2, 2011
Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		May 2, 2011
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		May 2, 2011
Rep. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI-2]	D · HI		May 2, 2011
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		May 2, 2011
Rep. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI-9]	D · MI		May 3, 2011

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		May 4, 2011
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-10]	D · CA		May 5, 2011
Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-18]	D · NY		May 5, 2011
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		May 13, 2011
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-16]	D · CA		May 24, 2011
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Feb 3, 2012
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Feb 16, 2012
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Apr 16, 2012
Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Apr 17, 2012
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Nov 27, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 10, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 3638	Related bill	Feb 9, 2012: Referred to the Subcommittee on Insurance, Housing and Community Opportunity.
112 HR 1889	Related bill	May 12, 2011: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
112 HR 1813	Related bill	May 10, 2011: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
112 HR 851	Related bill	Mar 1, 2011: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Summary (as of Feb 10, 2011)

End Big Oil Tax Subsidies Act of 2011- Amends the Internal Revenue Code to require seven-year amortization of the geological and geophysical expenditures of covered large oil companies. Defines "covered large oil company" as a taxpayer which is a major integrated oil company or which has gross receipts in excess of \$50 million in a taxable year.

Denies certain tax benefits to any taxpayer that is not a small, independent oil and gas company, including: (1) the tax credits for producing oil and gas from marginal wells and for enhanced oil recovery, (2) expensing of intangible drilling and development costs in the case of gas wells and geothermal wells, (3) percentage depletion, (4) the tax deduction for qualified tertiary injectant expenses, (5) the exemption from limitations on passive activity losses, and (6) the tax deduction for income attributable to domestic production activities.

Prohibits the use of the last-in, first-out (LIFO) accounting method by major integrated oil companies.

Limits or denies the foreign tax credit and tax deferrals for amounts paid or accrued by a dual capacity taxpayer to a foreign country or U.S. possession for any period with respect to combined foreign oil and gas income. Defines "dual capacity taxpayer" as a person who is subject to a levy of a foreign country or U.S. possession and receives (or will receive) directly or indirectly a specific economic benefit from such county or possession..

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 10, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 10, 2011:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E192)
- **Feb 10, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.