

HR 214

Tar Sands Tax Loophole Elimination Act

Congress: 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Current Status: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H160)

Latest Action: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H160) (Jan 9, 2015)

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Sponsor

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

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

Cosponsors (22 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Capps, Lois [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Grayson, Alan [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Murphy, Patrick [D-FL-18]	D · FL		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jan 8, 2015
Rep. Edwards, Donna F. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Loebsack, David [D-IA-2]	D · IA		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Feb 5, 2015
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Mar 4, 2015

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 8, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2400	Related bill	Dec 14, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
114 S 2089	Related bill	Sep 29, 2015: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 241.
114 S 187	Related bill	Jan 16, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Jan 8, 2015)

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This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to expand the definition of "crude oil" for purposes of the excise tax on petroleum and petroleum products to include any bitumen or bituminous mixture, any oil derived from a bitumen or bituminous mixture (tar sands), and any oil derived from kerogen-bearing sources (oil shale).

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 9, 2015:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H160)
- **Jan 8, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 8, 2015:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E34-35)
- **Jan 8, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.