

HR 4364

Taxpayer Fairness for Resource Development Act of 2019

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Energy

Introduced: Sep 17, 2019

Current Status: Subcommittee Hearings Held.

Latest Action: Subcommittee Hearings Held. (Sep 24, 2019)

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Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Natural Resources Committee | House | Hearings By (subcommittee) | Sep 24, 2019 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Taxpayer Fairness for Resource Development Act of 2019

This bill addresses royalties related to the development of federal energy resources.

Among other things, the bill

- increases the onshore royalty rates for new oil, gas, and coal leases;
- increases onshore rental rates for oil and gas leasing;
- modifies the current onshore oil and gas minimum bid from \$2 to \$5 and requires it to be adjusted every four years for inflation; and
- makes revisions to the charter of the Royalty Policy Committee, including to increase to six the number of members who are representatives of academia or the public.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 24, 2019:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Sep 20, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Sep 17, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 17, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

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