

## HR 257

### INVEST Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Jan 11, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Jan 11, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/257>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Jan 11, 2021
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Jan 28, 2022

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 11, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Jan 11, 2021)

#### **Incentives for our Nation's Veterans in Energy Sustainability Technologies or the INVEST Act**

This bill allows the work opportunity tax credit to be used for the hiring of a specified veteran who works in a field of renewable energy. A *specified veteran* means any veteran who is certified as (1) having received a credential or certification from the Department of Defense of a military occupational specialty or skill in a field of renewable energy or with respect to advanced manufacturing, machinist or welding, or engineering; (2) having completed a vocational degree in a field of renewable energy; or (3) having completed a LEED (Leadership in Energy & Environmental Design) certification with the United States Green Building Council.

The Department of the Treasury shall compensate specified U.S. possessions for their losses resulting from this bill.

## **Actions Timeline**

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