

S 143

Natural Gas Tax Repeal Act

Congress: 119 (2025–2027, Current)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Environmental Protection

Introduced: Jan 16, 2025

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Jan 16, 2025)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]

Party: Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** Senate

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| Sen. Barrasso, John [R-WY] | R · WY | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Britt, Katie Boyd [R-AL] | R · AL | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Budd, Ted [R-NC] | R · NC | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND] | R · ND | | Jan 16, 2025 |
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| Sen. Lee, Mike [R-UT] | R · UT | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY] | R · WY | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS] | R · KS | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Ricketts, Pete [R-NE] | R · NE | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID] | R · ID | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Schmitt, Eric [R-MO] | R · MO | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Sheehy, Tim [R-MT] | R · MT | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC] | R · NC | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Tuberville, Tommy [R-AL] | R · AL | | Jan 16, 2025 |
| Sen. Mullin, Markwayne [R-OK] | R · OK | | Jan 21, 2025 |
| Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK] | R · AK | | Jan 23, 2025 |
| Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK] | R · OK | | Feb 18, 2025 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Environment and Public Works Committee | Senate | Referred To | Jan 16, 2025 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
|------------|----------------|---|
| 119 HR 313 | Identical bill | Jan 9, 2025: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. |

Summary (as of Jan 16, 2025)

Natural Gas Tax Repeal Act

This bill eliminates a program administered by the Environmental Protection Agency that provides support for reducing methane emissions from the oil and gas sector. It also repeals a charge on methane emissions from facilities that contain petroleum and natural gas systems and emit 25,000 metric tons or more of greenhouse gases per year.

