

1 TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

2 The Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred House Bill No.  
3 439 entitled “An act relating to the Home Weatherization Assistance Program”  
4 respectfully reports that it has considered the same and recommends that the  
5 bill be amended by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in  
6 lieu thereof the following:

7 Sec. 1. 33 V.S.A. § 2503 is amended to read:

8 § 2503. FUEL TAX

9 (a)(1) There is imposed a tax on the retail sale of heating oil, propane,  
10 kerosene, and other dyed diesel fuel delivered to a residence or business, at the  
11 rate of ~~\$0.02~~ \$0.04 per gallon.

12 (2) There is imposed a gross receipts tax of 0.75 percent on the retail  
13 sale of natural gas and 1.5 percent on the retail sale of coal.

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15 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

16 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2019.

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FOR THE COMMITTEE