

HR 2766

Father's Equity Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Immigration

Introduced: Aug 2, 2001

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims. (Sep 10, 2001)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: TX • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 10, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Aug 2, 2001)

Father's Equity Act - Amends the Immigration and Nationality Act respecting acquisition of citizenship for a child born abroad and out of wedlock to a U.S.-citizen father to eliminate requirements that: (1) the father agree in writing to provide financial support until the child reaches 18 years old; and (2) before the child reaches 18 years old paternity is acknowledged by the father and established by court adjudication.

States that nothing in the provision respecting acquisition of citizenship for a child born abroad and out of wedlock shall be construed to preclude establishment of citizenship after the parent or parents' death.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 10, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims.
- **Aug 2, 2001:** Introduced in House
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- **Aug 2, 2001:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.