

## HR 5618

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to improve procedures for the processing of visas for "O" and "P" nonimmigrant artists.

**Congress:** 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Immigration

**Introduced:** Oct 10, 2002

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Border Security, and Claims.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Border Security, and Claims. (Nov 12, 2002)

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### Sponsor

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### Committee Activity

| Committee           | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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| Judiciary Committee | House   | Referred to | Nov 12, 2002 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Immigration

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Oct 10, 2002)

Amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to revise the visa processing procedures for nonimmigrant artists ("O" and "P" visas). Directs the Attorney General to implement expedited petition adjudication procedures for such aliens under specified circumstances.

### Actions Timeline

- **Nov 12, 2002:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Border Security, and Claims.
- **Oct 10, 2002:** Introduced in House
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