

S 1481

Congressional Responsibility for Immigration Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Immigration

Introduced: Jul 29, 2003

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S10144-10145)

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S10144-10145) (Jul 29, 2003)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]

Party: Democratic • **State:** VT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 29, 2003
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		Jul 29, 2003
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jul 29, 2003
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Jul 31, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 29, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 29, 2003)

Congressional Responsibility for Immigration Act - Makes trade authorities procedures of the Bipartisan Trade Promotion Authority Act of 2002 and the Trade Act of 1974 inapplicable to any bill implementing a trade agreement between the United States and any other country if the bill contains any provision relating to U.S. immigration laws or the entry of aliens. Requires the Senate, upon an appropriate point of order, to cease consideration of an implementing bill that violates such requirement. Provides Senate procedures for waivers and appeals of such a point of order.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 29, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 29, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S10144)
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