

HR 1801

Terrorist Victim Citizenship Relief Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Immigration **Introduced:** Apr 11, 2003

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

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Border Security, and Claims. (May 5, 2003)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 5, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 889	Identical bill	Apr 11, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5350)

Summary (as of Apr 11, 2003)

Terrorist Victim Citizenship Relief Act - Deems aliens who died as a result of the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks against the United States to be honorary U.S. citizens if they held lawful immigration status. Entitles the spouses and children of such victims to naturalization as U.S. citizens upon being administered the oath of renunciation and allegiance in an appropriate ceremony pursuant to the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), without regard to their current status, if they apply to the Secretary of Homeland Security for naturalization within two years. Directs the Secretary to record the date of naturalization of any such person as being September 10, 2001. Prohibits naturalization of, or affording honorary citizenship to, any alien (or family member) who is inadmissible or deportable under the INA, including any perpetrator of such attacks.

Actions Timeline

- May 5, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Border Security, and Claims.
- Apr 12, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E772)
- Apr 11, 2003: Introduced in House
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- Apr 11, 2003: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.