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HR 836

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to restore the avenues for relief from removal that existed for aliens lawfully admitted for permanent residence prior to the enactment of the enactment of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Immigration **Introduced:** Feb 13, 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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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Pastor, Ed [D-AZ-4]

Party: Democratic • State: AZ • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

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

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 13, 2003)

Amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to authorize the Secretary of Homeland Security to: (1) admit certain lawfully admitted permanent resident aliens returning to the United States who temporarily proceeded abroad voluntarily and not under an order of deportation or removal (excludes certain felons); and (2) cancel the removal of certain lawfully admitted permanent resident aliens.

Revises provisions respecting judicial review of removal orders.

Actions Timeline

•	May 5, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Border Security, and Claims.	
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