

HR 2592

Haiti Compassion Act

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Committee Activity

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| Judiciary Committee | House | Referred to | Jul 1, 2005 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 24, 2005)

Haitian Compassion Act - Requires the Secretary of Homeland Security to designate Haiti as a country whose qualifying nationals may be eligible for temporary protected status.

Provides for: (1) an initial 18-month designation period; and (2) authorization for temporary travel abroad.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 1, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Border Security, and Claims.
- **May 24, 2005:** Introduced in House
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- **May 24, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1084)
- **May 24, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.