

HR 5406

To suspend the visa waiver program until certain entry-exit control requirements are met, and for other purposes.

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	May 17, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 17, 2006)

Suspends the nonimmigrant visitor visa waiver program until the Secretary of Homeland Security certifies to Congress that: (1) the automated entry-exit control system is fully implemented and functional; (2) all U.S. ports of entry have functional biometric machine readers; and (3) all nonimmigrants, including Border Crossing Card holders, are processed through the automated entry-exit control system.

Amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to repeal the machine readable passport (including discretionary waiver) provisions of such program.

Actions Timeline

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