

HR 1071

September 11 Family Humanitarian Relief and Patriotism Act

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Chamber: House

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Rep. Weiner, Anthony D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Sep 5, 2007
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## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Reported by	Jul 27, 2007

#### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

Immigration

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 615	Related bill	Feb 15, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2043)

#### Summary (as of Oct 3, 2008)

September 11 Family Humanitarian Relief and Patriotism Act - (Sec. 2) Provides permanent resident status adjustment for an applicant alien who was: (1) lawfully present in the United States on September 10, 2001, and on such date was the spouse, child, or dependent son or daughter of a lawful nonimmigrant alien who died as a result of the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks against the United States; and (2) deemed to be a beneficiary of, and by, the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund of 2001.

Waives specified grounds of inadmissibility. Provides for: (1) stay of removal; (2) work authorization; and (3) availability of administrative review.

Requires that applications be filed within two years after the Secretary of Homeland Security promulgates final implementing regulations.

Authorizes an alien who has been ordered excluded, deported, removed, or ordered to depart voluntarily from the United States to apply for such status adjustment. Prohibits such alien from being required to file a separate motion to reopen exclusion, deportation, or removal proceedings.

(Sec. 3) Provides cancellation of removal and permanent resident status adjustment for an applicant alien who was: (1) on September 10, 2001, the spouse, child, or dependent son or daughter of a lawful nonimmigrant alien who died as a result of the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks against the United States; and (2) deemed to be a beneficiary of, and by, the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund of 2001.

Provides for: (1) stay of removal; (2) work authorization; and (3) authority to file one motion to reopen exclusion, deportation or removal proceedings in order to apply for such relief.

(Sec. 4) Makes the provisions of this Act inapplicable to an alien who is: (1) inadmissible or deportable under criminal or security grounds, including September 11, 2001, terrorist activity; or (2) a family member of such an alien.

(Sec. 5) Directs the Secretary and the Attorney General to use the standards established under the USA PATRIOT Act of 2001 in determining whether death occurred as a direct result of the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks against the United States.

(Sec. 6) Defines terms.

# **Actions Timeline**

- Oct 3, 2008: Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 110-909.
- Oct 3, 2008: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 584.
- Aug 2, 2007: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Aug 2, 2007: Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 21 10.
- Jul 27, 2007: Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Jul 27, 2007: Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by the Yeas and Nays: 9 3.
- Mar 19, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship, Refugees, Border Security, and International Law.
- Feb 15, 2007: Introduced in House
- Feb 15, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E368)
- Feb 15, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.