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DASH Act

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Committee Activity

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 3232	Related bill	Oct 24, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration Policy and Enforcement.
112 HR 1720	Related bill	Jun 1, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration Policy and Enforcement.
112 S 852	Related bill	Apr 14, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2530-2531)

Dairy and Sheep H-2A Act or the DASH Act - Amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to include within the H-2A nonimmigrant visa category (temporary agricultural workers) an alien coming temporarily to the United States to work as a shepherd, goat herder, or dairy worker.

Provides: (1) for a three-year initial period of admission with additional three-year extensions, and (2) that no period of U.S. absence may be required for approval of such extensions.

Directs the Secretary of Labor to issue housing regulations for such workers.

Actions Timeline

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