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Afghan Allies Protection Extension Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Immigration

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (May 7, 2014)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 7, 2014

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 4594	Identical bill	Jul 21, 2014: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
113 S 2624	Related bill	Jul 17, 2014: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of May 7, 2014)

Afghan Allies Protection Extension Act - Amends the Afghan Allies Protection Act of 2009 to extend: (1) the Afghan special immigrant visa program through FY2015, and (2) unused visa carryover authority through December 31, 2016.

Expands the scope of a principal alien's qualifying employment to include employment by or on behalf of: (1) an organization associated with the U.S. mission in Afghanistan that has received U.S. funding through an official and documented contract, grant, or cooperative agreement; or (2) a media or nongovernmental organization headquartered in the United States.

Revises family member requirements.

Actions Timeline

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