

HR 1834

E-2 Visa Improvement Act of 2015

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Policy Area: Immigration

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security. (May 15, 2015)

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

E-2 Visa Improvement Act of 2015

This bill amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit a nonimmigrant E-2 alien (treaty investor) who has been in the United States in such status for at least 10 years and has created full-time employment for at least 2 individuals to apply for immediate employment-based immigrant status.

Up to 10,000 such visas may be made available each fiscal year.

Sons and daughters of E-2 aliens (or aliens seeking such status) can remain on their parent's visa as a child until age 26. Employment authorization may be granted at age 18.

Actions Timeline

- **May 15, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
- **Apr 16, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 16, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

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