

## HR 5035

To reauthorize the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program, and for other purposes.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security. (May 17, 2016)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 17, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2395	Identical bill	<b>Dec 10, 2015:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

This bill amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to reauthorize the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) through FY2020. SCAAP provides payments to state, local, and tribal governments to offset the costs of incarcerating certain undocumented criminal aliens.

It expands the definition of “undocumented criminal alien” to include an alien who has been charged with a felony or two or more misdemeanors.

Additionally, the bill directs the Department of Justice to reimburse a state, local, or tribal government for costs to incarcerate a criminal alien whose immigration status cannot be verified by the Department of Homeland Security. (Currently, a criminal alien with lawful immigration status does not meet the criteria for SCAAP reimbursement.)

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 17, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
- **Apr 21, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 21, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.