

HR 6329

Promise of Citizenship Act of 2016

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Nov 16, 2016)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]

Party: Democratic • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Nov 30, 2016
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Nov 30, 2016
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Nov 30, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 16, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 16, 2016)

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This bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow a refundable tax credit for up to \$500 of the costs associated with naturalization as a U.S. citizen. Naturalization costs include naturalization application costs, English as a Second Language and other course costs, and legal services. The credit applies to costs paid or incurred by the taxpayer during the year or the three preceding years with respect to the taxpayer, the taxpayer's spouse, or any dependent of the taxpayer if the taxpayer, spouse, or dependent is naturalized as a U.S. citizen during the year.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 16, 2016:** Introduced in House
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