

HR 1985

Justice for Children Now Act of 2017

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Law

Introduced: Apr 6, 2017

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security. (May 1, 2017)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/1985>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jun 26, 2018
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jul 10, 2018
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jul 10, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 1, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 6, 2017)

Justice for Children Now Act of 2017

This bill authorizes the Department of Justice to appoint 70 immigration judges in addition to those serving as of the date of enactment of this bill.

Actions Timeline

- **May 1, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
- **Apr 6, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 6, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.