

## HR 486

### Grant's Law

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Immigration

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Biggs, Andy [R-AZ-5]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** AZ • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (24 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Barletta, Lou [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Brat, Dave [R-VA-7]	R · VA		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Franks, Trent [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		Jan 12, 2017
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Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Palmer, Gary J. [R-AL-6]	R · AL		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Jan 12, 2017
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Jan 31, 2017
Rep. Rooney, Francis [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Jan 31, 2017
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Mar 27, 2017
Rep. DeSantis, Ron [R-FL-6]	R · FL		Mar 27, 2017
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Mar 27, 2017
Rep. Garrett, Thomas A., Jr. [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Mar 27, 2017
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Mar 27, 2017
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-4]	R · PA		Mar 27, 2017
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Jun 27, 2017
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Sep 7, 2017
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Sep 25, 2017

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 13, 2017

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Immigration

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jan 12, 2017)

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This bill amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to require mandatory detention of any alien who is unlawfully present in the United States and arrested for inadmissible or deportable crimes.

The bill transfers release authority from the Department of Justice to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS). DHS may release the alien to an appropriate authority for proceedings related to the arrest, but DHS must resume custody for any period that the alien is not in custody of the appropriate authority. If the alien is not convicted of crimes for which the alien was arrested, DHS must continue to detain the alien until removal proceedings are completed.

DHS must complete the removal proceedings within 90 days.

## Actions Timeline

- **Feb 3, 2017:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H964)
- **Jan 13, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
- **Jan 12, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 12, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.