

HR 641

BARN Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Immigration

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security. (Feb 8, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Allen, Rick W. [R-GA-12]

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

Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Jan 24, 2017
Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Jan 24, 2017
Rep. Cramer, Kevin [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Jan 24, 2017
Rep. Messer, Luke [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Jan 24, 2017
Rep. Rice, Tom [R-SC-7]	R · SC		Jan 24, 2017
Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Moolenaar, John R. [R-MI-4]	R · MI		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Ross, Dennis A. [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Coffman, Mike [R-CO-6]	R · CO		May 25, 2017
Rep. Tipton, Scott R. [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Jul 13, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 8, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Better Agriculture Resources Now Act or the BARN Act

This bill revises the H-2A nonimmigrant agricultural worker visa program, including with respect to: (1) agricultural labor and services, (2) application requirements, (3) wages, (4) period of authorized nonimmigrant status, (5) housing, (6) legal assistance, and (7) violations.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 8, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Border Security.
- **Jan 24, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 24, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.