

HR 153

Mobilizing Against Sanctuary Cities Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Immigration

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship. (Mar 4, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]

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

Cosponsors (19 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-4]	R · IA		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Jan 8, 2019
Rep. Cloud, Michael [R-TX-27]	R · TX		Jan 11, 2019
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		Jan 16, 2019
Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Apr 12, 2019
Rep. Wright, Ron [R-TX-6]	R · TX		May 17, 2019
Rep. Aderholt, Robert B. [R-AL-4]	R · AL		Jun 18, 2019
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		Jun 28, 2019
Rep. Dunn, Neal P. [R-FL-2]	R · FL		Jul 23, 2019
Rep. Biggs, Andy [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		Aug 23, 2019
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Aug 23, 2019
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 4, 2019
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 3, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 3, 2019)

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This bill makes a state or local government ineligible for federal financial assistance for a minimum of one year if it restricts or prohibits an agency or official from (1) communicating with the responsible federal immigration agency information regarding an individual's citizenship or immigration status, or (2) maintaining or exchanging information about an individual's status. Such governmental entities are known as sanctuary cities or jurisdictions.

The bill restores assistance eligibility upon a Department of Justice (DOJ) determination that the jurisdiction no longer restricts or prohibits such access.

DOJ shall determine each year which state or local jurisdictions are not in compliance with immigration requirements and report such determination to Congress.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 4, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
- **Jan 3, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 3, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.