

HR 1998

Protect DREAMer Confidentiality Act of 2019

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Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Jul 9, 2019
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Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Oct 21, 2019
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Nov 18, 2019
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 29, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Immigration

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 197	Identical bill	Jan 22, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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This bill directs the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) to prevent disclosing information from applications to the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program to U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) or U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP), except to implement the program. Application information may be shared only to identify or prevent fraudulent claims, for particularized national security purposes relating to the applicant, or to investigate or prosecute a felony not related to immigration status.

The bill also prohibits DHS from referring any individual with deferred action status to ICE, CBP, the Department of Justice, or any law enforcement agency.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 29, 2019:** Introduced in House
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