

## HR 2232

New Pathways Act

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 15, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 1080	Identical bill	<b>Apr 9, 2019:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
116 HR 1893	Related bill	<b>Apr 8, 2019:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
116 S 697	Related bill	<b>Mar 7, 2019:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## Summary (as of Apr 10, 2019)

### New Pathways Act

This bill revises existing requirements for the Bureau of Prisons (BOP) to help prisoners obtain identification documents prior to their release.

With respect to U.S. citizens, the BOP must obtain and provide a Social Security card, a proof of U.S. citizenship document, and a photo identification card.

With respect to noncitizens, the BOP must help obtain proof of lawful status and, if applicable, an employment authorization document.

### Actions Timeline

- **May 15, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Apr 10, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 10, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.