

## HR 4272

TPS for Victims of Hurricane Dorian Act of 2019

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Immigration

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 25, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Immigration

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 4303	Related bill	<b>Oct 2, 2019:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
116 S 2478	Related bill	<b>Sep 12, 2019:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### Summary (as of Sep 10, 2019)

#### TPS for Victims of Hurricane Dorian Act of 2019

This bill designates the Bahamas as a temporary protected status (TPS) country for 18 months from the enactment of this bill. (Qualified nationals of a TPS-designated country shall have work authorization and may not be removed from the United States while the designation is in effect.)

A Bahamian national shall qualify for temporary protected status if the individual (1) has been continuously physically present in the United States since the bill's enactment, (2) meets certain admissibility and eligibility requirements generally required for such status, and (3) registers with the Department of Homeland Security.

### Actions Timeline

- **Sep 25, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
- **Sep 10, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 10, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary