

## HR 74

Grant's Law

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Immigration

**Introduced:** Jan 3, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship. (Jan 3, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/74>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Biggs, Andy [R-AZ-5]

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

### Cosponsors (16 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Palmer, Gary J. [R-AL-6]	R · AL		Jan 3, 2019
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Jan 8, 2019
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-4]	R · AZ		Jan 8, 2019
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Jan 8, 2019
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Jan 8, 2019
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-10]	R · PA		Jan 8, 2019
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Feb 6, 2019
Rep. Wright, Ron [R-TX-6]	R · TX		May 17, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 3, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Immigration

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jan 3, 2019)

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This bill requires the Department of Justice (DOJ) to detain any alien found to be unlawfully present in the United States and arrested for various crimes that would render the alien deportable or inadmissible.

The bill transfers release authority from DOJ to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS). DHS may release the alien to an appropriate authority for proceedings related to the arrest, but DHS must resume custody for any period that the alien is not in such authority's custody. If the alien is not convicted of crimes for which the alien was arrested, DHS must continue to detain the alien until removal proceedings are completed.

DHS must complete the removal proceedings within 90 days.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 3, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 3, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Jan 3, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.