

## S 843

### Partner with Korea Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Immigration

**Introduced:** Mar 14, 2019

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Mar 14, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/843>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO]	R · MO		Mar 14, 2019
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Mar 14, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 14, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Immigration

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 1762	Related bill	May 3, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.

### Summary (as of Mar 14, 2019)

#### Partner with Korea Act

This bill creates an E-4 treaty trader visa category for up to 15,000 nationals of South Korea each fiscal year who are coming to the United States solely to perform specialty occupation services, subject to various requirements. The 15,000 limit shall only apply to principal aliens and not the spouses or children of such aliens.

A specialty occupation is one that requires the theoretical and practical application of highly specialized knowledge and a bachelor's degree or higher.

## **Actions Timeline**

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