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Ending China's Exit Ban for American Citizens Act of 2021

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Committee Activity

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Summary (as of Apr 15, 2021)

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This bill bars an official of China's government from obtaining a visa to enter the United States if the official was involved in prohibiting a U.S. citizen from leaving China in an attempt to achieve certain goals, such as convincing a relative of the U.S. citizen to submit to Chinese government custody for prosecution. Any existing visa belonging to such an official shall be revoked.

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