

HR 2805

PROTECT Immigration Act of 2021

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Immigration

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

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship. (Oct 19, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]

Party: Democratic • **State:** IL • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (20 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Torres, Ritchie [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Apr 22, 2021
Rep. Omar, Ilhan [D-MN-5]	D · MN		May 4, 2021
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Sep 22, 2021
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Oct 12, 2021
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Oct 25, 2021
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Oct 25, 2021
Rep. Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Nov 30, 2021
Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Nov 30, 2021
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Dec 2, 2021
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Dec 7, 2021
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Dec 7, 2021
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Dec 7, 2021
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Mar 7, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 19, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 1336	Related bill	Apr 22, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of Apr 22, 2021)

Protecting the Rights Of Towns against federal Enforcement contrary to Constitutional Tenets for Immigration Act of 2021 or the PROTECT Immigration Act of 2021

This bill establishes that the authority to investigate, apprehend, or detain aliens for the purposes of immigration enforcement is limited to immigration officers and authorized Department of Homeland Security employees, except when such authority is provided to other individuals under specified statutes. Specifically, this restriction does not apply in certain instances involving (1) an actual or imminent mass influx of aliens, (2) persons bringing in and harboring aliens in violation of immigration laws, or (3) an alien illegally present in the United States who had previously left or was deported after being convicted of a felony.

The bill repeals the authority allowing the Department of Justice to enter into agreements authorizing state or local government employees to perform immigration enforcement functions.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 19, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
- **Apr 22, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 22, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.