

## HR 5759

### BE GONE Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Immigration

**Introduced:** Oct 27, 2021

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship. (Nov 1, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/5759>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]

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

## Cosponsors (72 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Bice, Stephanie L. [R-OK-5]	R · OK		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Bishop, Dan [R-NC-9]	R · NC		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Boebert, Lauren [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Cammack, Kat [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Cawthorn, Madison [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]	R · AR		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Feenstra, Randy [R-IA-4]	R · IA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Fitzgerald, Scott [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Fulcher, Russ [R-ID-1]	R · ID		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Garbarino, Andrew R. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Gimenez, Carlos A. [R-FL-26]	R · FL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Good, Bob [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Harshbarger, Diana [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Herrell, Yvette [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Hinson, Ashley [R-IA-1]	R · IA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Jacobs, Chris [R-NY-27]	R · NY		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Dusty [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Mike [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Joyce, John [R-PA-13]	R · PA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Letlow, Julia [R-LA-5]	R · LA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Miller, Mary E. [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Miller-Meeks, Mariannette [R-IA-2]	R · IA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Moore, Barry [R-AL-2]	R · AL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Mullin, Markwayne [R-OK-2]	R · OK		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Murphy, Gregory [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Oct 27, 2021

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Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Obernolte, Jay [R-CA-8]	R · CA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Owens, Burgess [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-10]	R · PA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Rosendale Sr., Matthew M. [R-MT-At Large]	R · MT		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Salazar, Maria Elvira [R-FL-27]	R · FL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-22]	R · NY		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Timmons, William R. IV [R-SC-4]	R · SC		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Van Duyne, Beth [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Williams, Roger [R-TX-25]	R · TX		Oct 27, 2021
Rep. Zeldin, Lee M. [R-NY-1]	R · NY		Oct 28, 2021
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Lesko, Debbie [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Miller, Carol D. [R-WV-3]	R · WV		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Steel, Michelle [R-CA-48]	R · CA		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Aderholt, Robert B. [R-AL-4]	R · AL		Nov 2, 2021
Rep. Palmer, Gary J. [R-AL-6]	R · AL		Nov 3, 2021
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-42]	R · CA		Nov 16, 2021
Rep. Rutherford, John H. [R-FL-4]	R · FL		Nov 17, 2021
Rep. Franklin, C. Scott [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Feb 18, 2022
Rep. Ferguson, A. Drew, IV [R-GA-3]	R · GA		Feb 22, 2022
Rep. Rice, Tom [R-SC-7]	R · SC		Mar 2, 2022
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Mar 17, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 1, 2022

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Immigration

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 2945	Related bill	Oct 6, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## **Better Enforcement of Grievous Offenses by unNaturalized Emigrants Act or the BE GONE Act**

This bill expands, for immigration purposes, the definition of *aggravated felony* to include sexual abuse, sexual assault, and aggravated sexual violence. (Under current law, a conviction for an aggravated felony is grounds for deportation and may bar an individual from other immigration-related benefits.)

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
- **Oct 27, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 27, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.