

HR 5759

BE GONE Act

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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. (Nov 1, 2022)

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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 I. [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

- **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.