

HR 7708

Honor Our Commitment Act of 2022

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Immigration

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

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Sponsor

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Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		May 10, 2022
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		May 11, 2022
Rep. Jones, Mondaire [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Jul 7, 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 HR 8922	Related bill	Nov 1, 2022: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.

Summary (as of May 10, 2022)

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This bill limits the detention or removal of qualified Vietnamese nationals from the United States and contains other related provisions.

A national of Vietnam may not be detained or removed if that individual (1) is subject to a final order of removal, and (2) has continuously resided in the United States since July 12, 1995, or an earlier date. An otherwise qualifying alien may not receive such protections if (1) the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) determines that the alien is directly responsible for harming U.S. national security, or (2) the alien is subject to extradition.

A qualified Vietnamese national shall receive authorization to work in the United States.

DHS must notify each qualified Vietnamese national about the provisions of this bill.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
- **May 10, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **May 10, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.