

HR 7867

Protect Vulnerable Immigrant Youth 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. Gomez, Jimmy [D-CA-34]

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

Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		May 24, 2022
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		May 24, 2022
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		May 24, 2022
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		May 24, 2022
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		May 24, 2022
Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jun 3, 2022
Rep. Leger Fernandez, Teresa [D-NM-3]	D · NM		Jul 7, 2022
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Jul 26, 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 9685	Related bill	Dec 22, 2022: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, the Budget, Foreign Affairs, and Education and Labor, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
117 S 5353	Related bill	Dec 21, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
117 HR 6078	Related bill	Nov 1, 2022: Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.

Summary (as of May 24, 2022)

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This bill exempts Special Immigrant Juveniles visas from certain annual numerical limitations on such visas. (Generally, Special Immigrant Juvenile status is available to qualifying non-U.S. nationals under 21 years of age who are in the United States and have been abused, abandoned, or neglected by a parent.)

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
- **May 24, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **May 24, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.