

## HR 8609

### Surging Prosecutors to Expedite Alien Removals Act of 2022

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Immigration

**Introduced:** Jul 29, 2022

**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/8609>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Crenshaw, Dan [R-TX-2]

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

## Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Burchett, Tim [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Jul 29, 2022
Rep. Van Duyne, Beth [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Jul 29, 2022
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Aug 9, 2022
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Dec 6, 2022

## Committee Activity

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

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Immigration

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Jul 29, 2022)

### Surging Prosecutors to Expedite Alien Removals Act of 2022

This bill requires the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) to establish a ratio of four U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement prosecutors for each immigration judge. These prosecutors represent DHS during removal proceedings. DHS must provide a report to Congress within 90 days on the plan and status of achieving the ratio.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 1, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship.
- **Jul 29, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 29, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.