

SJRES 18

A joint resolution disapproving of the rule submitted by the Department of Homeland Security relating to "Public Charge Ground of Inadmissibility".

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)  
**Chamber:** Senate  
**Policy Area:** Immigration  
**Introduced:** Mar 8, 2023  
**Current Status:** Held at the desk.  
**Latest Action:** Held at the desk. (May 22, 2023)  
**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/senate-joint-resolution/18>

Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS]  
**Party:** Republican • **State:** KS • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Budd, Ted [R-NC]	R · NC		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Cruz, Ted [R-TX]	R · TX		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Hagerty, Bill [R-TN]	R · TN		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Hawley, Josh [R-MO]	R · MO		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Lee, Mike [R-UT]	R · UT		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		Mar 8, 2023
Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA]	R · LA		Mar 14, 2023
Sen. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY]	R · WY		May 1, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Discharged From	May 16, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HJRES 41	Related bill	Mar 8, 2023: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

This joint resolution nullifies the final rule submitted by the Department of Homeland Security titled [\*Public Charge Ground of Inadmissibility\*](#) and published on September 9, 2022.

The 2022 final rule nullified an August 14, 2019, final rule. The 2019 final rule made it more likely that a non-U.S. national (*alien* under federal law) would be denied admission or lawful permanent resident status because that individual is likely to become a public charge (i.e., receive certain public benefits). This joint resolution restores into effect the nullified 2019 final rule.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 22, 2023:** Received in the House.
- **May 22, 2023:** Held at the desk.
- **May 18, 2023:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **May 17, 2023:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S1698-1701)
- **May 17, 2023:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Yea-Nay Vote. 50 - 47. Record Vote Number: 130.(text: CR S1701)
- **May 17, 2023:** Passed Senate without amendment by Yea-Nay Vote. 50 - 47. Record Vote Number: 130. (text: CR S1701)
- **May 16, 2023:** Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged, by petition, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 802(c).
- **May 16, 2023:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 77.
- **Mar 8, 2023:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 8, 2023:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.