

SJRES 41

A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services and the Executive Officer for Immigration Review relating to "Circumvention of Lawful Pathways".

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Immigration

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Jul 27, 2023)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Immigration

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 27, 2023)

This joint resolution nullifies the final rule issued by U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services and the Executive Office for Immigration Review titled *Circumvention of Lawful Pathways* and published on May 16, 2023.

The final rule established a rebuttable presumption that a non-U.S. national (*alien* under federal law) entering the United States from Mexico without valid entry documents is ineligible for asylum if that individual had traveled through another country to reach the United States but did not apply for asylum or similar protection in that other country.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 27, 2023:** Introduced in Senate
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