

## S 1589

### Immigration Parole Reform Act of 2025

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Britt, Katie Boyd [R-AL]	R · AL		May 5, 2025
Sen. Budd, Ted [R-NC]	R · NC		May 5, 2025
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Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		May 5, 2025
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		May 5, 2025
Sen. Hawley, Josh [R-MO]	R · MO		May 5, 2025
Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]	R · OK		May 5, 2025
Sen. Lee, Mike [R-UT]	R · UT		May 5, 2025
Sen. Moreno, Bernie [R-OH]	R · OH		May 5, 2025
Sen. Sheehy, Tim [R-MT]	R · MT		May 5, 2025
Sen. Tuberville, Tommy [R-AL]	R · AL		May 5, 2025
Sen. Hyde-Smith, Cindy [R-MS]	R · MS		Jul 31, 2025

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 5, 2025

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Immigration

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 HR 696	Related bill	<b>Jan 23, 2025:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Border Security and Enforcement.
119 S 225	Related bill	<b>Jan 23, 2025:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## **Immigration Parole Reform Act of 2025**

This bill limits the authority of the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) to grant immigration parole (i.e., give official permission for an individual to enter and temporarily remain in the United States).

Specifically, the bill (1) limits what qualifies as an urgent humanitarian reason or a significant public benefit that would justify granting parole, and (2) prohibits granting parole based on an individual's membership in a defined class of individuals.

An urgent humanitarian reason is limited to medical emergencies, the death of a close family member, and to green card applicants returning to the United States after temporary travel abroad. A significant public benefit is limited to assisting the U.S. government in a law enforcement matter.

Individuals granted parole on the basis of an urgent humanitarian reason or a significant public benefit are not permitted to work while in the United States.

Additionally, the bill provides statutory authority for DHS to grant parole to certain Cuban nationals and to certain family members of active-duty Armed Forces members.

