

119TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. 716

For the relief of Vichai Sae Tung (also known as Chai Chaowasaree).

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 25, 2025

Ms. HIRONO (for herself and Mr. SCHATZ) introduced the following bill; which  
was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

For the relief of Vichai Sae Tung (also known as Chai  
Chaowasaree).

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. PERMANENT RESIDENCE STATUS FOR VICHAI**  
4               **SAE TUNG.**

5           (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-  
6       sion of law, for purposes of the Immigration and Nation-  
7       ality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101 et seq.), Vichai Sae Tung (also  
8       known as Chai Chaowasaree) shall be held and considered  
9       to have been lawfully admitted to the United States for  
10      permanent residence as of the date of the enactment of  
11      this Act upon payment of the required visa fees.

1       (b) REDUCTION OF NUMBER OF AVAILABLE  
2 VISAS.—Upon the granting of permanent residence to  
3 Vichai Sae Tung (also known as Chai Chaowasaree) pur-  
4 suant to subsection (a), the Secretary of State shall in-  
5 struct the proper officer to reduce by one, during the cur-  
6 rent or subsequent fiscal year, the total number of immi-  
7 grant visas available to natives of the country of the alien's  
8 birth under section 203(a) of the Immigration and Nation-  
9 ality Act (8 U.S.C. 1153(a)).

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