

105TH CONGRESS
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S. 36

For the relief of Ibrahim Al-Assaad.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 21, 1997

Mr. THURMOND introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

For the relief of Ibrahim Al-Assaad.

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.**

4 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for pur-
5 poses of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C.
6 1101 et seq.), Ibrahim Al-Assaad shall be held and consid-
7 ered to have been lawfully admitted to the United States
8 for permanent residence as of the date of the enactment
9 of this Act upon payment of the required visa fee.

10 **SEC. 2. REDUCTION OF NUMBER OF AVAILABLE VISAS.**

11 Upon the granting of permanent residence to Ibrahim
12 Al-Assaad as provided in this Act, the Secretary of State

1 shall instruct the proper officer to reduce by one number
2 during the current fiscal year the total number of immi-
3 grant visas available to natives of the country of the alien's
4 birth under section 203(a) of the Immigration and Nation-
5 ality Act (8 U.S.C. 1153(a)).

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