

106TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2977

For the relief of Bruce Watson Pairman and Daniele Paule Pairman.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 29, 1999

Mrs. TAUSCHER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

For the relief of Bruce Watson Pairman and Daniele Paule  
Pairman.

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 RESIDENT STATUS FOR BRUCE**  
4                       **WATSON PAIRMAN AND DANIELE PAULE**  
5                       **PAIRMAN.**

6       (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding subsections (a)  
7       and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality  
8       Act, Bruce Watson Pairman and Daniele Paule Pairman  
9       shall be eligible for issuance of an immigrant visa or for  
10       adjustment of status to that of an alien lawfully admitted  
11       for permanent residence upon filing an application for

1 issuance of an immigrant visa under section 204 of such  
2 Act or for adjustment of status to lawful permanent resi-  
3 dent.

4 (b) ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS.—If Bruce Watson  
5 Pairman or Daniele Paule Pairman enters the United  
6 States before the filing deadline specified in subsection (c),  
7 he or she shall be considered to have entered and remained  
8 lawfully and shall, if otherwise eligible, be eligible for ad-  
9 justment of status under section 245 of the Immigration  
10 and Nationality Act as of the date of the enactment of  
11 this Act.

12 (c) DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION AND PAYMENT OF  
13 FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-  
14 plication for issuance of an immigrant visa or the applica-  
15 tion for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate fees  
16 within 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act.

17 (d) REDUCTION OF IMMIGRANT VISA NUMBER.—  
18 Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent resi-  
19 dence to Bruce Watson Pairman and Daniele Paule  
20 Pairman, the Secretary of State shall instruct the proper  
21 officer to reduce by 2, during the current or next following  
22 fiscal year, the total number of immigrant visas that are  
23 made available to natives of the country of the aliens' birth  
24 under section 203(a) of the Immigration and Nationality  
25 Act or, if applicable, the total number of immigrant visas

1 that are made available to natives of the country of the  
2 aliens' birth under section 202(e) of such Act.

3 (e) DENIAL OF PREFERENTIAL IMMIGRATION  
4 TREATMENT FOR CERTAIN RELATIVES.—The natural  
5 parents, brothers, and sisters of Bruce Watson Pairman  
6 and Daniele Paule Pairman shall not, by virtue of such  
7 relationship, be accorded any right, privilege, or status  
8 under the Immigration and Nationality Act.

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