

106TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 3771

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 1, 2000

Mr. BERMAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

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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. ELIMINATION OF CAP ON PERSONS ELIGIBLE**  
4                       **TO ADJUST STATUS FROM ASYLEE TO PER-**  
5                       **MANENT RESIDENT.**

6       (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 209(b) of the Immigra-  
7       tion and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1159(b)) is amended—

8               (1) by striking “Not more than 10,000 of the”  
9               and all that follows through “available by the” and  
10              inserting “The”; and

1           (2) by striking “to adjust” and inserting “may  
2       adjust”.

3       (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
4       subsection (a) shall take effect on the date of the enact-  
5       ment of this Act and shall apply to applications for adjust-  
6       ment of status pending on or after such date.

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