

106TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 4138

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 30, 2000

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas (for herself and Mr. GUTIERREZ) 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. RECORD OF ADMISSION FOR PERMANENT RES-**  
4 **IDENCE FOR CERTAIN ALIENS WHO ENTERED**  
5 **PRIOR TO 1986.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 249 of the Immigration  
7 and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1259) is amended—

1           (1) in the section heading, by striking “1972”  
2           and inserting “1986”; and

3           (2) in subsection (a), by striking “1972;” and  
4           inserting “1986;”.

5           (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections  
6 for such Act is amended in the item relating to section  
7 249 by striking “1972” and inserting “1986”.

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