

108TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 1333

To clarify the citizenship eligibility for certain members of the Tohono O'odham Nation of Arizona, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 18, 2003

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

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. ELIGIBILITY FOR UNITED STATES CITIZEN-**
4 **SHIP; PASS AND REPASS OF BORDERS.**

5 (a) APPLICATIONS FOR CITIZENSHIP GRANTED.—

6 For a period of 3 years beginning on the date of the enact-
7 ment of this Act, any member of the Tohono O'odham
8 Nation of Arizona residing on the lands of the Tohono
9 O'odham Nation of Arizona in Arizona or Mexico may
10 apply for United States citizenship. Such application shall

1 be made to the Immigration and Naturalization Service
2 and, upon receipt of the application, citizenship shall be
3 granted to the applicant.

4 (b) PASS AND REPASS OF BORDERS.—Notwith-
5 standing the Immigration and Nationality Act, all mem-
6 bers of the Tohono O’odham Nation of Arizona shall be
7 entitled to pass and repass freely the borders of the United
8 States.

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