108TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

12 permanent resident.

H. R. 5241

For the relief of Gabriella Dee.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 6, 2004

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

A BILL

For the relief of Gabriella Dee.

1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 3 **SECTION PERMANENT** RESIDENT **STATUS FOR** 1. 4 GABRIELLA DEE. 5 (a) In General.—Notwithstanding subsections (a) and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Gabriella Dee shall be eligible for issuance of an im-8 migrant visa or for adjustment of status to that of an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence upon filing an 10 application for issuance of an immigrant visa under section 204 of such Act or for adjustment of status to lawful

- (b) Waiver of Grounds for Removal or Denial
 of Admission.—
- 3 IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding sections 212(a) and 237(a) of the Immigration and Nation-5 ality Act, Gabriella Dee may not be removed from 6 the United States, denied admission to the United 7 States, or considered ineligible for lawful permanent 8 residence in the United States, by reason of any 9 ground for removal or denial of admission that is re-10 flected in the records of the Department of Home-11 land Security or the Visa Office of the Department 12 of State, on the date of the enactment of this Act.
 - (2) RESCISSION OF OUTSTANDING ORDER OF REMOVAL.—The Secretary of Homeland Security shall rescind any outstanding order of removal or deportation, or any finding of inadmissibility or deportability, that has been entered against Gabriella Dee by reason of any ground described in paragraph (1).
- 20 (c) Adjustment of Status.—If Gabriella Dee en-21 ters, or is admitted or paroled into, the United States be-22 fore the filing deadline specified in subsection (c), she shall 23 be considered to have entered and remained lawfully and 24 shall, if otherwise eligible, be eligible for adjustment of

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- 1 status under section 245 of the Immigration and Nation-
- 2 ality Act as of the date of the enactment of this Act.
- 3 (d) Deadline for Application and Payment of
- 4 FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-
- 5 plication for issuance of an immigrant visa or the applica-
- 6 tion for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate fees
- 7 within 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act.
- 8 (e) Reduction of Immigrant Visa Number.—
- 9 Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent res-
- 10 idence to Gabriella Dee, the Secretary of State shall in-
- 11 struct the proper officer to reduce by 1, during the current
- 12 or next following fiscal year, the total number of immi-
- 13 grant visas that are made available to natives of the coun-
- 14 try of the alien's birth under section 203(a) of the Immi-
- 15 gration and Nationality Act or, if applicable, the total
- 16 number of immigrant visas that are made available to na-
- 17 tives of the country of the alien's birth under section
- 18 202(e) of such Act.
- 19 (f) Denial of Preferential Immigration Treat-
- 20 MENT FOR CERTAIN RELATIVES.—The natural parents,
- 21 brothers, and sisters of Gabriella Dee shall not, by virtue
- 22 of such relationship, be accorded any right, privilege, or
- 23 status under the Immigration and Nationality Act.