S. 2071

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

February 12, 2004

Mr. Kohl (for himself and Mr. Kennedy) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and 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. IMMEDIATE RELATIVE DEFINITION.
- 4 Section 201(b)(2)(A)(i) of the Immigration and Na-
- 5 tionality Act (8 U.S.C. 1151(b)(2)(A)(i)) is amended by
- 6 inserting after "at least 21 years of age." the following:
- 7 "In the case of a parent of a citizen of the United States
- 8 who has a child (as defined in section 101(b)(1)), the child
- 9 shall be considered, for purposes of this subsection, an im-

- 1 mediate relative if accompanying or following to join the
- 2 parent.".

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