

111TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 124

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 7, 2010

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## AN ACT

For the relief of Shigeru Yamada.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS FOR SHIGERU**

2 **YAMADA.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding subsections (a)  
4 and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality  
5 Act (8 U.S.C. 1151), Shigeru Yamada shall be eligible for  
6 issuance of an immigrant visa or for adjustment of status  
7 to that of an alien lawfully admitted for permanent resi-  
8 dence upon filing an application for issuance of an immi-  
9 grant visa under section 204 of that Act (8 U.S.C. 1154)  
10 or for adjustment of status to lawful permanent resident.

11 (b) ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS.—If Shigeru Yamada  
12 enters the United States before the filing deadline speci-  
13 fied in subsection (c), Shigeru Yamada shall be considered  
14 to have entered and remained lawfully and shall be eligible  
15 for adjustment of status under section 245 of the Immi-  
16 gration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1255) as of the date  
17 of the enactment of this Act.

18 (c) APPLICATION AND PAYMENT OF FEES.—Sub-  
19 sections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the application for  
20 issuance of an immigrant visa or the application for ad-  
21 justment of status is filed with appropriate fees not later  
22 than 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act.

23 (d) REDUCTION OF IMMIGRANT VISA NUMBERS.—  
24 Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent resi-  
25 dence to Shigeru Yamada, the Secretary of State shall  
26 instruct the proper officer to reduce by 1, during the cur-

1 rent or subsequent fiscal year, the total number of immi-  
2 grant visas that are made available to natives of the coun-  
3 try of birth of Shigeru Yamada under section 203(a) of  
4 the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1153(a))  
5 or, if applicable, the total number of immigrant visas that  
6 are made available to natives of the country of birth of  
7 Shigeru Yamada under section 202(e) of that Act (8  
8 U.S.C. 1152(e)).

Passed the Senate December 3, 2010.

Attest:

NANCY ERICKSON,  
*Secretary.*