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S. 1763

For the relief of Maria Guadalupe Mendoza Sanchez, Eusebio Sanchez Mejia,
and Vianney Esbeydi Sanchez Mendoza.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 5, 2017

Mrs. FEINSTEIN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and
referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

For the relief of Maria Guadalupe Mendoza Sanchez, Eusebio
Sanchez Mejia, and Vianney Esbeydi Sanchez Mendoza.

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. PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS FOR MARIA**

4 **GUADALUPE MENDOZA SANCHEZ, EUSEBIO**

5 **SANCHEZ MEJIA, AND VIANNEY ESBYDI SAN-**

6 **CHEZ MENDOZA.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding subsections (a)
8 and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality
9 Act (8 U.S.C. 1151), Maria Guadalupe Mendoza Sanchez,
10 Eusebio Sanchez Mejia, and Vianney Esbeydi Sanchez

1 Mendoza shall each be eligible for the issuance of an immi-
2 grant visa or for adjustment of status to that of an alien
3 lawfully admitted for permanent residence upon filing an
4 application for issuance of an immigrant visa under sec-
5 tion 204 of such Act (8 U.S.C. 1154) or for adjustment
6 of status to lawful permanent resident.

7 (b) ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS.—If Maria Guadalupe
8 Mendoza Sanchez, Eusebio Sanchez Mejia, or Vianney
9 Esbeydi Sanchez Mendoza enters the United States before
10 the filing deadline specified in subsection (c), Maria Gua-
11 dalupe Mendoza Sanchez, Eusebio Sanchez Mejia, or
12 Vianney Esbeydi Sanchez Mendoza, as appropriate, shall
13 be considered to have entered and remained lawfully in
14 the United States and shall be eligible for adjustment of
15 status under section 245 of the Immigration and Nation-
16 ality Act (8 U.S.C. 1255) as of the date of the enactment
17 of this Act.

18 (c) DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION AND PAYMENT OF
19 FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-
20 plication for the issuance of an immigrant visa or the ap-
21 plication for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate
22 fees not later than 2 years after the date of the enactment
23 of this Act.

24 (d) REDUCTION OF IMMIGRANT VISA NUMBERS.—
25 Upon granting immigrant visas or permanent residence to

1 Maria Guadalupe Mendoza Sanchez, Eusebio Sanchez
2 Mejia, and Vianney Esbeydi Sanchez Mendoza, the Sec-
3 retary of State shall instruct the proper officer to reduce
4 by 3, during the current or next following fiscal year—

5 (1) the total number of immigrant visas that
6 are made available to natives of the country of birth
7 of Maria Guadalupe Mendoza Sanchez, Eusebio San-
8 chez Mejia, and Vianney Esbeydi Sanchez Mendoza
9 under section 203(a) of the Immigration and Na-
10 tionality Act (8 U.S.C. 1153(a)); or

11 (2) if applicable, the total number of immigrant
12 visas that are made available to natives of the coun-
13 try of birth of Maria Guadalupe Mendoza Sanchez,
14 Eusebio Sanchez Mejia, and Vianney Esbeydi San-
15 chez Mendoza under section 202(e) of such Act (8
16 U.S.C. 1152(e)).

17 (e) PAYGO.—The budgetary effects of this Act, for
18 the purpose of complying with the Statutory Pay-As-You-
19 Go Act of 2010, shall be determined by reference to the
20 latest statement titled “Budgetary Effects of PAYGO
21 Legislation” for this Act, submitted for printing in the
22 Congressional Record by the Chairman of the Committee
23 on the Budget of the Senate, provided that such statement
24 has been submitted prior to the vote on passage.

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