

Public Law 107-124
107th Congress

An Act

Jan. 16, 2002
[H.R. 2277]

To provide for work authorization for nonimmigrant spouses of treaty traders and
treaty investors.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of
the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section
214(e) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1184(e))
is amended by adding at the end the following:*

“(6) In the case of an alien spouse admitted under section
101(a)(15)(E), who is accompanying or following to join a principal
alien admitted under such section, the Attorney General shall
authorize the alien spouse to engage in employment in the United
States and provide the spouse with an ‘employment authorized’
endorsement or other appropriate work permit.”

Approved January 16, 2002.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY—H.R. 2277:

HOUSE REPORTS: No. 107-187 (Comm. on the Judiciary).
CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, Vol. 147 (2001):
Sept. 5, considered and passed House.
Dec. 20, considered and passed Senate.

