

Private Calendar No. 3

108TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 712

[Report No. 108-530]

For the relief of Richi James Lesley.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 11, 2003

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

JUNE 8, 2004

Referred to the Private Calendar and ordered to be printed

A BILL

For the relief of Richi James Lesley.

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 RICHI**

4 **JAMES LESLEY.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding subsections (a)
6 and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality
7 Act, Richi James Lesley shall be eligible for issuance of
8 an immigrant visa or for adjustment of status to that of

1 an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence upon
2 filing an application for issuance of an immigrant visa
3 under section 204 of such Act or for adjustment of status
4 to lawful permanent resident.

5 (b) ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS.—If Richi James Les-
6 ley enters the United States before the filing deadline
7 specified in subsection (c), he shall be considered to have
8 entered and remained lawfully and shall, if otherwise eligi-
9 ble, be eligible for adjustment of status under section 245
10 of the Immigration and Nationality Act as of the date of
11 the enactment of this Act.

12 (c) DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION AND PAYMENT OF
13 FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-
14 plication for issuance of an immigrant visa or the applica-
15 tion for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate fees
16 within 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act.

17 (d) REDUCTION OF IMMIGRANT VISA NUMBER.—
18 Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent res-
19 idence to Richi James Lesley, the Secretary of State shall
20 instruct the proper officer to reduce by 1, during the cur-
21 rent or next following fiscal year, the total number of im-
22 migrant visas that are made available to natives of the
23 country of the alien's birth under section 203(a) of the
24 Immigration and Nationality Act or, if applicable, the
25 total number of immigrant visas that are made available

1 to natives of the country of the alien's birth under section
2 202(e) of such Act.

3 (e) DENIAL OF PREFERENTIAL IMMIGRATION
4 TREATMENT FOR CERTAIN RELATIVES.—The natural
5 parents, brothers, and sisters of Richi James Lesley shall
6 not, by virtue of such relationship, be accorded any right,
7 privilege, or status under the Immigration and Nationality
8 Act.

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