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H. R. 5195

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and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 24, 2014

Mr. BLUMENAUER (for himself and Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

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Visa Program, and for other purposes.

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Emergency Afghan
5 Allies Extension Act of 2014”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXPANSION OF AFGHAN SPECIAL IMMIGRANT VISA**
2 **PROGRAM.**

3 Section 602(b)(3)(D) of the Afghan Allies Protection
4 Act of 2009 (8 U.S.C. 1101 note) is amended to read as
5 follows:

6 “(D) **ADDITIONAL FISCAL YEAR.**—The
7 total number of principal aliens who may be
8 provided special immigrant status under this
9 section in fiscal year 2014 may not exceed
10 4,000, except that, notwithstanding any other
11 provision of this section—

12 “(i) any unused balance of the total
13 number of principal aliens who may be
14 provided special immigrant status under
15 this section in fiscal year 2014 may be car-
16 ried forward and provided through Decem-
17 ber 31, 2016;

18 “(ii) the 1-year period during which
19 an alien must have been employed in ac-
20 cordance with paragraph (2)(A)(ii) shall be
21 the period beginning on October 7, 2001,
22 and ending on December 31, 2014; and

23 “(iii) the principal alien seeking spe-
24 cial immigrant status under this subpara-
25 graph shall apply to the Chief of Mission

1 in accordance with paragraph (2)(D) not
2 later than December 31, 2014.”.

3 **SEC. 3. TEMPORARY FEE INCREASE FOR CERTAIN CON-**
4 **SULAR SERVICES.**

5 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Notwithstanding any other provi-
6 sion of law, the Secretary of State, not later than January
7 1, 2015, shall increase the fee or surcharge authorized
8 under section 140(a) of the Foreign Relations Authoriza-
9 tion Act, Fiscal Years 1994 and 1995 (Public Law 103–
10 236; 8 U.S.C. 1351 note) by \$1.50 for processing ma-
11 chine-readable nonimmigrant visas and machine-readable
12 combined border crossing identification cards and non-
13 immigrant visas.

14 (b) **DEPOSIT OF AMOUNTS.**—Notwithstanding sec-
15 tion 140(a)(2) of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act,
16 Fiscal Years 1994 and 1995 (Public Law 103–236; 8
17 U.S.C. 1351 note), the additional amount collected pursu-
18 ant the fee increase authorized under subsection (a) shall
19 be deposited in the general fund of the Treasury.

20 (c) **SUNSET PROVISION.**—The fee increase authorized
21 under subsection (a) shall terminate on the date that is
22 4 years after the first date on which such increased fee
23 is collected.

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