

115TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 388

For the relief of Maha Dakar.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 15, 2017

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

A BILL

For the relief of Maha Dakar.

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. ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
5 sion of law, for the purposes of the Immigration and Na-
6 tionality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101 et seq.), Maha Dakar shall
7 be deemed to have been lawfully admitted to, and re-
8 mained in, the United States, and shall be eligible for ad-
9 justment of status to that of an alien lawfully admitted
10 for permanent residence under section 245 of the Immi-
11 gration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1255) upon filing
12 an application for such adjustment of status.

1 (b) APPLICATION AND PAYMENT OF FEES.—Sub-
2 section (a) shall apply only if Maha Dakar files an applica-
3 tion for adjustment of status, with appropriate fees, not
4 later than 2 years after the date of the enactment of this
5 Act.

6 (c) REDUCTION OF IMMIGRANT VISA NUMBERS.—
7 Upon the granting of permanent resident status to Maha
8 Dakar, the Secretary of State shall instruct the proper of-
9 ficer to reduce by 1, during the current or subsequent fis-
10 cal year, the total number of immigrant visas that are
11 made available to natives of the country of the birth of
12 Maha Dakar under section 202(a)(2) of the Immigration
13 and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1152(a)(2)).

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