

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-

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OFFERED BY MR. GARAMENDI OF CALIFORNIA

Page 1348, insert after line 23 the following (and conform the table of contents accordingly):

1 **SEC. 5806. SPECIAL IMMIGRANT VISAS FOR CERTAIN FUL-**
2 **BRIGHT SCHOLARS.**

3 (a) SPECIAL IMMIGRANT VISAS FOR CERTAIN
4 SCHOLARS.—Section 602(b) of the Afghan Allies Protec-
5 tion Act of 2009 (8 U.S.C. 1101 note) is amended—

6 (1) in paragraph (1), by striking “an alien de-
7 scribed in subparagraph (A), (B), or (C) of para-
8 graph (2)’” and inserting “an alien described in
9 subparagraph (A), (B), (C), or (D) of paragraph
10 (2)’”;

11 (2) in paragraph (2)—

12 (A) in subparagraph (A)(iii), by striking
13 “subparagraph (D)” and inserting “subpara-
14 graph (E)”;

15 (B) by redesignating subparagraphs (B),
16 (C), (D), (E), and (F) as subparagraphs (C),
17 (D), (E), (F), and (G), respectively;

1 (C) by inserting after subparagraph (A)
2 the following:

3 “(B) FULBRIGHT AND OTHER SCHOLARS
4 AS PRINCIPAL ALIEN.—An alien is described in
5 this subparagraph if the alien is a national or
6 citizen of Afghanistan and was selected between
7 October 7, 2001 and August 31, 2022, to par-
8 ticipate in—

9 “(i) the J. William Fulbright Edu-
10 cational Exchange Program authorized
11 under section 102 of the Mutual Edu-
12 cational and Cultural Exchange Act of
13 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2452(a)(1)) including the
14 Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence Grants and
15 the Fulbright Foreign Language Teaching
16 Assistant Program;

17 “(ii) the Hubert H. Humphrey Fel-
18 lowship Program pursuant to section
19 112(a)(2) of the Mutual Educational and
20 Cultural Exchange Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C.
21 2460(a)(2));

22 “(iii) the International Visitor Leader-
23 ship Program pursuant to section
24 112(a)(3) of the Mutual Educational and

1 Cultural Exchange Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C.
2 2460(a)(3)); or

3 “(iv) any other educational or cultural
4 exchange activity administered by the Sec-
5 retary of State pursuant to sections 102 or
6 112 of the Mutual Educational and Cul-
7 tural Exchange Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C.
8 2452; 22 U.S.C. 2460) for which the Sec-
9 retary determines that a participating alien
10 is eligible for a special immigrant visa
11 under this paragraph.”; and

12 (D) in subparagraph (C), as redesignated
13 by subparagraph (B), by striking “subpara-
14 graph (A)” and inserting “subparagraph (A) or
15 (B)”;

16 (3) in paragraph (4)(C), by striking “an alien
17 described in subparagraph (A), (B), or (C) of para-
18 graph (2)” and inserting “an alien described in sub-
19 paragraph (A), (B), (C), or (D) of paragraph (2)”;

20 (4) in paragraph (5), by striking “an alien de-
21 scribed in subparagraph (A), (B), or (C) of para-
22 graph (2)” and inserting “an alien described in sub-
23 paragraph (A), (B), (C), or (D) of paragraph (2)”;

24 (5) in paragraph (6), by striking “an alien de-
25 scribed in subparagraph (A), (B), or (C) of para-

1 graph (2)” and inserting “an alien described in sub-
2 paragraph (A), (B), (C), or (D) of paragraph (2)”;
3 and

4 (6) in paragraph (9), by striking “an alien de-
5 scribed in subparagraph (A), (B), or (C) of para-
6 graph (2)” and inserting “an alien described in sub-
7 paragraph (A), (B), (C), or (D) of paragraph (2)”.

8 (b) NUMERICAL LIMITATIONS.—Section 602(b)(3) of
9 the Afghan Allies Protection Act of 2009 (8 U.S.C. 1101
10 note) is amended—

11 (1) by redesignating subparagraphs (B), (C),
12 (D), (E), and (F) as subparagraphs (C), (D), (E),
13 (F), and (G), respectively;

14 (2) by inserting after subparagraph (A) the fol-
15 lowing new subparagraph:

16 “(B) FULBRIGHT AND OTHER SCHOL-
17 ARS.—An alien provided immigrant status pur-
18 suant to subparagraph (2)(B) shall not be
19 counted against any numerical limitation under
20 this section, or section 201, 202, 203, or 207
21 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8
22 U.S.C. 1151, 1152, 1153, and 1157).”;

23 (3) in subparagraph (E), as redesignated by
24 paragraph (1)—

1 (A) by striking “paragraph (C)” and in-
2 serting “subparagraph (D)”; and

3 (B) by striking “subsection (b)(2)(D)”
4 and inserting “paragraph (2)(E)”;

5 (4) in subparagraph (F), as redesignated by
6 paragraph (1)—

7 (A) by striking “paragraph (2)(D)” and
8 inserting “paragraph (2)(E)”; and

9 (B) by striking “subparagraph (D)” each
10 place that it appears and inserting “subpara-
11 graph (E)”; and

12 (5) in subparagraph (G), as redesignated by
13 paragraph (1), by striking “subparagraphs (D) and
14 (E)” and inserting “subparagraphs (E) and (F)”.

