

106TH CONGRESS  
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# S. 677

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 22, 1999

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

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## A BILL

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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. LIMITED WAIVER OF REIMBURSEMENT RE-**  
4 **QUIREMENT FOR CERTAIN FOREIGN STU-**  
5 **DENTS.**

6 Section 214(l)(1) of the Immigration and Nationality  
7 Act (8 U.S.C. 1184(l)(1)), as added by section 625(a)(1)

1 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Respon-  
2 sibility Act of 1996 (110 Stat. 3009–699), is amended—

3 (1) in subparagraph (B), by redesignating  
4 clauses (i) and (ii) as subclauses (I) and (II), respec-  
5 tively;

6 (2) by redesignating subparagraphs (A) and  
7 (B) as clauses (i) and (ii), respectively;

8 (3) by striking “(l)(1)” and inserting  
9 “(l)(1)(A)”; and

10 (4) by adding at the end the following new sub-  
11 paragraph:

12 “(B) The Attorney General shall waive the applica-  
13 tion of subparagraph (A)(ii) for an alien seeking to pursue  
14 a course of study in a public secondary school served by  
15 a local educational agency (as defined in section 14101  
16 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965  
17 (20 U.S.C. 8801) if the agency determines and certifies  
18 to the Attorney General that such waiver will promote the  
19 educational interest of the agency and will not impose an  
20 undue financial burden on the agency.”.

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