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H. R. 3217

To limit the issuance of student and diversity immigrant visas to aliens who are nationals of Saudi Arabia, countries that support terrorism, or countries not cooperating fully with United States antiterrorism efforts.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 27, 2007

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

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Terror Immigration
5 Elimination Act of 2007”.

1 **SEC. 2. LIMITATION ON ISSUANCE OF STUDENT AND DIVER-**
2 **SITY IMMIGRANT VISAS TO ALIENS WHO ARE**
3 **NATIONALS OF SAUDI ARABIA OR COUNTRIES**
4 **THAT SUPPORT TERRORISM OR ARE NOT CO-**
5 **OPERATING FULLY WITH UNITED STATES**
6 **ANTITERRORISM EFFORTS.**

7 (a) **LIMITATION ON ISSUANCE OF STUDENT VISAS.—**

8 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, an alien may
9 not be granted a visa for study in the United States under
10 subparagraph (F), (J), or (M) of section 101(a)(15) of
11 the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C.
12 1101(a)(15)) without review by the President if the alien
13 is a national of Saudi Arabia or a designated country.

14 (b) **LIMITATION ON ISSUANCE OF DIVERSITY IMMI-**

15 **GRANT VISAS.—**Notwithstanding any other provision of
16 law, an alien may not be granted an immigrant visa under
17 section 203(c) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8
18 U.S.C. 1153(c)) (relating to diversity immigrants) without
19 review by the President if the alien is a national of Saudi
20 Arabia or a designated country.

21 (c) **DEFINITION.—**For purposes of this section, the

22 term “designated country” means a country designated
23 under—

24 (1) section 620A of the Foreign Assistance Act

25 of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2371) as a country the govern-

1 ment of which has repeatedly provided support for
2 acts of international terrorism;

3 (2) section 6(j) of the Export Administration
4 Act of 1979 (50 U.S.C. App. 2405(j)) as a country
5 the government of which has repeatedly provided
6 support for acts of international terrorism; or

7 (3) section 40A of the Arms Export Control Act
8 (22 U.S.C. 2781) as a country not cooperating fully
9 with United States antiterrorism efforts.

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