

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To simplify the refugee processing reforms, to add a savings provision, and to make technical amendments.

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S. 2971

To authorize certain authorities by the Department of State, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENTS intended to be proposed by Mr. KERRY (for himself and Mr. LUGAR)

Viz:

1 On page 41, strike line 21 and all that follows
2 through page 47, line 13, and insert the following:

3 **SEC. 141. REFORMING REFUGEE PROCESSING.**

4 (a) ADJUSTMENTS OF STATUS OF REFUGEES.—Sec-
5 tion 209(a)(1) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8
6 U.S.C. 1159) is amended, in the matter following subpara-
7 graph (C)—

8 (1) by striking “or be returned to the custody
9 of” and inserting “to”; and

1 (2) by striking “for inspection and examina-
2 tion” and inserting “to be inspected and examined”.

3 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
4 subsection (a) shall take effect on the date of the enact-
5 ment of this Act.

6 On page 93, lines 17 and 18, strike “particularly
7 United Nations Peacekeeping Operations” and insert “in-
8 cluding those related to United Nations peacekeeping op-
9 erations”.

10 On page 94, lines 8 and 9, strike “reports to the ap-
11 propriate congressional committees that describes” and in-
12 sert “, reports to the appropriate congressional commit-
13 tees that describe”.

14 On page 74, line 18, strike “(4)” and insert the fol-
15 lowing:

16 (4) OTHER AUTHORITIES NOT AFFECTED.—The
17 authority under this subsection is in addition to any
18 other authority available to the Inspector General to
19 engage individuals as reemployed annuitants.

20 (5)