

117TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 8382

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 14, 2022

Mr. GIMENEZ (for himself, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mrs. CAMMACK, Mr. BUDD, Mr. RUTHERFORD, and Mr. CAWTHORN) introduced the following bill; which was 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Migrant Protection  
5 Protocols Act of 2022”.

1 **SEC. 2. TREATMENT OF ALIENS ARRIVING FROM CONTIG-**  
2 **UOUS TERRITORY.**

3       Section 235(b)(2)(C) of the Immigration and Nation-  
4 ality Act (8 U.S.C. 1225(b)(2)(C)) is amended by striking  
5 “may return” and inserting “shall return”.

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