117TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## H. R. 904

For the relief of Mariana Ndudzi.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

February 5, 2021

Ms. Schakowsky introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

## A BILL

For the relief of Mariana Ndudzi.

1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 3 SECTION 1. PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS FOR MARIANA 4 NDUDZI. 5 (a) In General.—Notwithstanding subsections (a) and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Mariana Ndudzi shall be eligible for issuance of an 8 immigrant visa or for adjustment of status to that of an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence upon fil-10 ing an application for issuance of an immigrant visa under section 204 of such Act or for adjustment of status to

12 lawful permanent resident.

- 1 (b) Adjustment of Status.—If Mariana Ndudzi
- 2 enters the United States before the filing deadline speci-
- 3 fied in subsection (c), she shall be considered to have en-
- 4 tered and remained lawfully and shall, if otherwise eligible,
- 5 be eligible for adjustment of status under section 245 of
- 6 the Immigration and Nationality Act as of the date of en-
- 7 actment of this Act.
- 8 (c) Deadline for Application and Payment of
- 9 FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-
- 10 plications for issuance of an immigrant visa or the applica-
- 11 tions for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate
- 12 fees, within 2 years after the date of the enactment of
- 13 this Act.
- 14 (d) Reduction of Immigrant Visa Number.—
- 15 Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent res-
- 16 idence to Mariana Ndudzi, the Secretary of State shall in-
- 17 struct the proper officer to reduce by one, during the cur-
- 18 rent or next following fiscal year, the total number of im-
- 19 migrant visas that are made available to natives of the
- 20 country of the alien's birth under section 203(a) of the
- 21 Immigration and Nationality Act or, if applicable, the
- 22 total number of immigrant visas that are made available
- 23 to natives of the country of the alien's birth under section
- 24 202(e) of such Act.

- 1 (e) Denial of Preferential Immigration
- 2 Treatment for Certain Relatives.—The natural
- 3 parents, brothers, and sisters of Mariana Ndudzi shall not,
- 4 by virtue of such relationship, be accorded any right, privi-
- 5 lege, or status under the Immigration and Nationality Act.

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