## Change Rejected in Aliens Bill

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## **Body**

The Senate Judiciary Committee today turned back an attempt to expand a proposed amnesty program for illegal *aliens*.

By a vote of 8 to 6, the committee defeated an amendment proposed by Senator Edward M. Kennedy, Democrat of Massachusetts, to a comprehensive immigration *bill*.

Senate Judiciary Committee, by 8-6 vote, defeats amendment proposed by Sen Edward M Kennedy to expand proposed amnesty program for illegal <u>aliens</u> under Sen Alan K Simpson's immigration <u>bill</u>; <u>rejects</u> attempts to delete or alter <u>bill</u>'s provisions for program that would admit temporary foreign workers to harvest crops; Rep Peter W Rodino Jr offers immigration <u>bill</u> in House (S)The committee also <u>rejected</u> attempts to delete or alter the <u>bill</u>'s provisions for a program that would admit temporary foreign workers to harvest crops.

The committee scheduled a meeting next Tuesday to complete action on the measure, which is sponsored by Senator Alan K. Simpson, Republican of Wyoming. Mr. Simpson said today that he hoped to bring his <u>bill</u> to the floor this fall.

Meanwhile, Representative Peter W. Rodino Jr., Democrat of New Jersey, today introduced an immigration <u>bill</u> in the House. The <u>bill</u>'s co-sponsor, Representative Romano L. Mazzoli, Democrat of Kentucky, announced that hearings before a subcommittee of the House Judicary Committee would be held in September.

Mr. Simpson's <u>bill</u> would subject employers who knowlingly hired illegal <u>aliens</u> to fines. It would set up a Presidential commission that would grant legal status to illegal <u>aliens</u> who entered this country before Jan. 1, 1980.

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