

AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ Calendar No. \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose: To require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to conduct regular audits to ensure that registered provisional immigrants are not receiving Federal means-tested public benefits.

**IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—113th Cong., 1st Sess.**

**S. 744**

To provide for comprehensive immigration reform and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_ and  
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AMENDMENTS intended to be proposed by Mr. FLAKE

Viz:

1       Beginning on page 92, strike line 22 and all that fol-  
2       lows through page 93, line 3, and insert the following:

3               (3) INELIGIBILITY FOR PUBLIC BENEFITS.—

4               (A) IN GENERAL.—An alien who has been  
5       granted registered provisional immigrant status  
6       under this section is not eligible for any Federal  
7       means-tested public benefit (as defined and im-  
8       plemented in section 403 of the Personal Re-  
9       sponsibility and Work Opportunity Reconcili-  
10      ation Act of 1996 (8 U.S.C. 1613)).

1                   (B) AUDITS.—The Secretary of Health  
2                   and Human Services shall conduct regular au-  
3                   dits to ensure that registered provisional immi-  
4                   grants are not fraudulently receiving any of the  
5                   benefits described in subparagraph (A).

6           On page 91, line 21, strike “or” at the end and all  
7           that follows through “(iii)” on line 22, and insert the fol-  
8           lowing:

9                   “(iii) is convicted of fraudulently  
10                  claiming or receiving a Federal means-test-  
11                  ed benefit (as defined and implemented in  
12                  section 403 of the Personal Responsibility  
13                  and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act  
14                  of 1996 (8 U.S.C. 1613) after being grant-  
15                  ed registered provisional immigrant status;  
16                  or  
17                  “(iv)