

Statement on Immigration Reform

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On Thursday, May 17, 2007, a group of Democrat and Republican Senators announced a new immigration reform bill to be debated in the Senate. Congressman Steve Rothman's (D-NJ) statement on their effort follows:

"The immigration laws on the books today are not being enforced, our borders are not secure, and the presence of 12 million illegal immigrants remains unaddressed. The Senate proposal has a number of major flaws, but it appears to be a sincere start of a bipartisan dialogue to seek consensus on comprehensive immigration reform."

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