

Immigration and Social Security Co-ordination (EU Withdrawal) Bill

AMENDMENTS
TO BE MOVED
IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

After Clause 4

LORD PADDICK
BARONESS HAMWEE

Insert the following new Clause –

“Amendment to the Immigration (Leave to Enter and Remain) Order 2000

- (1) The Immigration (Leave to Enter and Remain) Order 2000 (S.I. 2000/1161) is amended as follows.
- (2) In article 8B(2)(a), after the words “is a national of” insert the words “any EEA State, Switzerland.”

Member’s explanatory statement

This new Clause would ensure that EEA and Swiss nationals have the same right to obtain leave to enter the United Kingdom by passing through an automated gate as nationals of Australia, Canada, Japan, New Zealand, Singapore, South Korea or the US.

BARONESS HAMWEE

Insert the following new Clause –

“Refugee family reunion

The Secretary of State must make rules under section 3(2) of the Immigration Act 1971 to allow any EEA or Swiss citizen who has exercised a right brought to an end by section 1 and Schedule 1 and who has been recognised as a refugee in the United Kingdom to sponsor their –

- (a) children under the age of 25 who were either under the age of 18, or unmarried, at the time the person granted asylum left the country of their habitual residence in order to seek asylum;
- (b) parents; or
- (c) siblings under the age of 25 who were either under the age of 18, or unmarried, at the time the person granted asylum left the country of their habitual residence in order to seek asylum;

to join them in the United Kingdom.”

Member's explanatory statement

This new Clause is intended to probe the need to expand family reunion rules.

LORD ROSSER
LORD KENNEDY OF SOUTHWARK

Insert the following new Clause—

“Duty to raise awareness of citizenship rights

- (1) The Secretary of State must take steps to raise awareness of rights under the British Nationality Act 1981 to register as a British citizen to persons to whom subsection (2) applies.
- (2) This section applies to any person who has lost rights under section 1 and Schedule 1.
- (3) Within six months of the day on which this Act is passed, the Secretary of State must publish a report detailing the steps taken to raise awareness of rights under subsection (1), and lay it before Parliament.”

Clause 5

BARONESS HAMWEE
BARONESS LUDFORD

Page 4, line 11, leave out paragraph (d)

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment is to probe the use of ministerial discretion.

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