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For the relief of Shirley Constantino Tan.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

April 22, 2009

Mrs. FEINSTEIN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 2 3 SECTION 1. PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS FOR SHIRLEY 4 CONSTANTINO TAN. 5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding subsections (a) 6 and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1151), Shirley Constantino Tan shall be eli-7 8 gible for issuance of an immigrant visa or for adjustment 9 of status to that of an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence upon filing an application for issuance of 10 an immigrant visa under section 204 of such Act (8 11

U.S.C. 1154) or for adjustment of status to lawful perma nent resident.

3 (b) ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS.—If Shirley Constanti4 no Tan enters the United States before the filing deadline
5 specified in subsection (c), she shall be considered to have
6 entered and remained lawfully and shall, if otherwise eligi7 ble, be eligible for adjustment of status under section 245
8 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1255)
9 as of the date of the enactment of this Act.

10 (c) DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION AND PAYMENT OF FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-11 plication for issuance of an immigrant visa or the applica-12 13 tion for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate fees within 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act. 14 15 (d) REDUCTION OF IMMIGRANT VISA NUMBER.— Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent res-16 idence to Shirley Constantino Tan, the Secretary of State 17 shall instruct the proper officer to reduce by one, during 18 19 the current or next following fiscal year, the total number 20 of immigrant visas that are made available to natives of 21 the country of the alien's birth under section 203(a) of 22 the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1153(a)) 23 or, if applicable, the total number of immigrant visas that 1 are made available to natives of the country of the alien's

2 birth under section 202(e) of such Act (8 U.S.C. 1152(e)).