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1ST SESSION

H. R. 109

To prohibit the Secretary of Homeland Security from granting a work authorization to an alien found to have been unlawfully present in the United States.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 3, 2019

Mr. BURGESS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Equal Protection for
5 American Workers Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN WORK AUTHORIZA-**
7 **TIONS.**

8 Effective beginning on the date of the enactment of
9 this Act, the Secretary of Homeland Security is prohibited

1 from granting a work authorization to an alien who has
2 been finally determined, in a valid immigration proceeding
3 during which due process was afforded, to have been at
4 any time unlawfully present in the United States.

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