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H. R. 3615

To prohibit the obligation or expenditure of Federal funds to pay foreign governments and entities for the detention of certain individuals.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 26, 2025

Mr. TORRES of New York 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 “Stop Aid for Foreign
5 Expulsion Act” or the “SAFE Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON OBLIGATION OR EXPENDITURE**
7 **OF FEDERAL FUNDS FOR CERTAIN DETEN-**
8 **TIONS OF INDIVIDUALS.**

9 (a) IN GENERAL.—No Federal funds may be obli-
10 gated or expended to, directly or indirectly, pay a foreign

1 government, agency of a foreign government, or foreign
2 entity for the detention of an individual, if a court of the
3 United States has determined that such detention violates
4 the laws of the United States.

5 (b) FOREIGN ENTITY DEFINED.—In this section, the
6 term “foreign entity” means an entity not organized under
7 the laws of the United States or of any jurisdiction within
8 the United States.

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