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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mrs. MOODY (for herself and Mr. LANKFORD) 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 Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLES.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Reimbursements for
5 Immigration Partnerships with Police to allow Local En-
6 forcement Act of 2025” or the “RIPPLE Act of 2025”.

1 **SEC. 2. REIMBURSEMENTS TO STATES AND LOCALITIES**
2 **FOR PERFORMANCE OF IMMIGRATION FUNC-**
3 **TIONS.**

4 Section 287(g)(1) of the Immigration and Nationality
5 Act (8 U.S.C. 1357(g)(1)) is amended by adding at the
6 end the following: “The Attorney General may reimburse
7 a State or a political subdivision for costs incurred by the
8 State or political subdivision for wages (as defined in sec-
9 tion 3121(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986), in-
10 cluding the renumeration of overtime compensation (as de-
11 fined in section 7 of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938
12 (29 U.S.C. 207)), or salary to an officer or employee of
13 such State or political subdivision for the performance of
14 a function under an agreement under this subsection.”.

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