

**Calendar No. 417**

119TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

**S. 2**

To provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 33.

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**IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES**

MAY 20, 2026

Mr. GRAHAM, from the Committee on the Budget, reported the following  
original bill; which was read twice and placed on the calendar

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**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 “Secure America Act”.

1 **TITLE I—COMMITTEE ON HOME-**  
2 **LAND SECURITY AND GOV-**  
3 **ERNMENTAL AFFAIRS**

4 **SEC. 101. U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION PER-**  
5 **SONNEL.**

6 (a) PERSONNEL.—In addition to amounts otherwise  
7 available, there is appropriated to the Commissioner of  
8 U.S. Customs and Border Protection for fiscal year 2026,  
9 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appro-  
10 priated, \$9,550,000,000, to remain available until Sep-  
11 tember 30, 2029, to hire, pay, train, and equip Border  
12 Patrol agents and Border Patrol support personnel to con-  
13 duct functions other than immigration enforcement and  
14 customs functions.

15 (b) RESTRICTION.—None of the funds made available  
16 by subsection (a) may be used to recruit, hire, or train  
17 personnel for the duties of processing coordinators after  
18 October 31, 2028.

19 **SEC. 102. U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT.**

20 In addition to amounts otherwise available, there is  
21 appropriated to the Director of U.S. Immigration and  
22 Customs Enforcement for fiscal year 2026, out of any  
23 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated,  
24 \$7,450,000,000, to remain available until September 30,  
25 2029, to hire, pay, train, and equip Homeland Security

1 Investigations agents and support personnel and to pro-  
2 vide other necessary expenses for Homeland Security In-  
3 vestigations' mission support and operations and mainte-  
4 nance, of which \$108,500,000 shall be used to hire, pay,  
5 and equip additional child exploitation investigators and  
6 forensics analysts at the Victim Identification Laboratory  
7 of the Child Exploitation Investigations Unit of Homeland  
8 Security Investigations and at the Homeland Security In-  
9 vestigations offices of the Special Agent in Charge to sup-  
10 port the identification and rescue of victims of child sexual  
11 exploitation and abuse, and to train such personnel and  
12 State and local law enforcement regarding identifying vic-  
13 tims of child sexual exploitation and abuse within the  
14 Homeland Security Investigations Cyber Crimes Center,  
15 except that funds provided in this section shall be used  
16 for functions other than those related to Homeland Secu-  
17 rity Investigations' immigration enforcement and customs  
18 enforcement missions.

19 **SEC. 103. BORDER SECURITY, TECHNOLOGY, AND SCREEN-**  
20 **ING.**

21 (a) IN GENERAL.—In addition to amounts otherwise  
22 available, there is appropriated to the Commissioner of  
23 U.S. Customs and Border Protection for fiscal year 2026,  
24 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appro-

1 priated, to remain available until September 30, 2029,  
2 \$3,450,000,000 for the following:

3 (1) Procurement and integration of new non-  
4 intrusive inspection equipment and associated civil  
5 works, including artificial intelligence, machine  
6 learning, and other innovative technologies, as well  
7 as other mission support, to combat the entry or exit  
8 of illicit narcotics at ports of entry and along the  
9 southwest, northern, and maritime borders.

10 (2) Air and Marine operations' upgrading and  
11 procurement of new platforms for rapid air and ma-  
12 rine response capabilities.

13 (3) Upgrades and procurement of border sur-  
14 veillance technologies along the southwest, northern,  
15 and maritime borders.

16 (4) Necessary expenses, including the deploy-  
17 ment of technology, relating to the biometric entry  
18 and exit system under section 7208 of the Intel-  
19 ligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of  
20 2004 (8 U.S.C. 1365b).

21 (5) Enhancing border security by combating  
22 drug trafficking, including fentanyl and its precursor  
23 chemicals, at the southwest, northern, and maritime  
24 borders.

1           (6) Necessary expenses for U.S. Customs and  
2       Border Protection’s mission support and operations  
3       and maintenance for functions other than those re-  
4       lated to its immigration enforcement and customs  
5       missions.

6       (b) RESTRICTIONS.—None of the funds made avail-  
7       able under subsection (a) may be used for the procurement  
8       or deployment of surveillance towers along the southwest  
9       border and northern border that have not been tested and  
10      accepted by U.S. Customs and Border Protection to de-  
11      liver autonomous capabilities.

12      (c) DEFINITION OF AUTONOMOUS.—In this section,  
13      with respect to capabilities, the term “autonomous” means  
14      a system designed to apply artificial intelligence, machine  
15      learning, computer vision, or other algorithms to accu-  
16      rately detect, identify, classify, and track items of interest  
17      in real time such that the system can make operational  
18      adjustments without the active engagement of personnel  
19      or continuous human command or control.

20      **SEC. 104. ADDITIONAL DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECU-**  
21                                   **RITY APPROPRIATIONS.**

22      In addition to amounts otherwise available, there are  
23      appropriated to the Secretary of Homeland Security for  
24      fiscal year 2026, out of any money in the Treasury not  
25      otherwise appropriated, \$2,500,000,000, to remain avail-

- 1 able until September 30, 2029, for the purposes provided
- 2 in this title.



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