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H. R. 4280

To ensure that States do not accept an individual taxpayer identification number as proof of identification or legal residence.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mrs. MYRICK (for herself, Ms. FOXX, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. MCHENRY, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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 “Transportation Rev-
5 enue Ultimatum Enforcement ID Act of 2005”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON THE ACCEPTANCE OF TAXPAYER**
2 **IDENTIFICATION NUMBER AS PROOF OF**
3 **IDENTIFICATION OR LEGAL RESIDENCE.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 30 days after the
5 date of enactment of this Act, a State shall not accept
6 as proof of personal identification or legal residence an
7 individual taxpayer identification number for the purposes
8 of issuing a State-issued driver’s license or personal identi-
9 fication card.

10 (b) WITHHOLDING AND TRANSFER OF FUNDS FOR
11 NONCOMPLIANCE.—If a State fails to comply with the re-
12 quirements of subsection (a) by the date specified—

13 (1) the Secretary shall withhold 100 percent of
14 the amount required to be apportioned to any State
15 under paragraphs (1), (2) and (3) of section 104(b)
16 of title 23, United States Code; and

17 (2) transfer an amount equal to 100 percent of
18 the funds apportioned to the State on that date
19 under each of paragraphs (1), (3), and (4) of section
20 104(b) of title 23, United States Code, to the appor-
21 tionment of the State under the State Criminal
22 Alien Assistance Program under section 241(i) of
23 the Immigration and National Act (8 U.S.C.
24 1231(i)).

25 (c) DEFINITIONS.—For purposes of this Act, the fol-
26 lowing definitions apply:

1 (1) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means
2 the Secretary of the United States Department of
3 Transportation.

4 (2) STATE.—The term “State” means each of
5 the 50 States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico,
6 the Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the
7 Northern Mariana Islands, the Trust Territory of
8 the Pacific Islands, and any other territory or pos-
9 session of the United States.

10 (3) STATE AUTHORITIES.—The term “State au-
11 thorities” means heads of State transportation agen-
12 cies.

13 (4) DRIVERS LICENSE.—The term “driver’s li-
14 cense” means a motor vehicle operator’s license, as
15 defined in section 30301 of title 49, United States
16 Code.

17 (5) INDIVIDUAL TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION
18 NUMBER.—The term “individual taxpayer identifica-
19 tion number” means an identification number as de-
20 scribed in section 1609 of the Internal Revenue
21 Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C.).

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