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H. R. 3860

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to require the use of DNA testing for purposes of confirming a biological relationship, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. TANCREDO 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. REQUIREMENT OF DNA TESTING FOR ALIENS**
4 **SEEKING VISAS BASED ON A BIOLOGICAL RE-**
5 **LATIONSHIP.**

6 Section 221(d) of the Immigration and Nationality
7 Act (8 U.S.C. 1201(d)) is amended—

8 (1) by striking “(d)” and inserting “(d)(1)”;

9 and

1 (2) by adding at the end the following new
2 paragraph:

3 “(2) Prior to the issuance of an immigrant visa to
4 an alien that is predicated on a biological relationship to
5 a family member, the consular officer shall require such
6 alien to submit the results of DNA testing in order to con-
7 firm that the purported biological relationship is not in-
8 consistent with the results.”.

9 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF FEES.**

10 The Secretary of Homeland Security is authorized to
11 adjust the fees collected from aliens described in section
12 221(d)(2) of the the Immigration and Nationality Act (8
13 U.S.C. 1201(d)(2)), as added by section 1 of this Act, in
14 order to carry out such section.

15 **SEC. 3. TESTING FACILITIES.**

16 The Secretary of Homeland Security, in consultation
17 with the Secretary of State, shall promulgate regulations
18 with respect to the facilities where DNA testing is author-
19 ized to be performed, as required by section 221(d)(2) of
20 the the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C.
21 1201(d)(2)), as added by section 1 of this Act.

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