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S. 748

To prohibit the issuance of social security numbers to individuals given deferred action under the President’s immigration executive actions.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 16, 2015

Mr. SASSE (for himself, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. VITTER, Mr. COTTON, Mr. LEE, Mr. CRUZ, and Mr. PERDUE) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

To prohibit the issuance of social security numbers to individuals given deferred action under the President’s immigration executive actions.

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 “Amnesty Bonuses
5 Elimination Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON ISSUING SOCIAL SECURITY NUM-**
2 **BERS PURSUANT TO DEFERRED ACTION**
3 **POLICIES.**

4 Section 205(c)(2)(B)(i)(I) of the Social Security Act
5 (42 U.S.C. 405(c)(2)(B)(i)(I)) is amended by inserting “,
6 except that the Commissioner of Social Security shall not
7 issue a social security account number to any alien who
8 is granted deferred action pursuant to deferred action
9 policies set forth in the memorandum from the Secretary
10 of Homeland Security entitled ‘Exercising Prosecutorial
11 Discretion with Respect to Individuals Who Came to the
12 United States as Children’ dated June 15, 2012, or the
13 memorandum from the Secretary of Homeland Security
14 entitled ‘Exercising Prosecutorial Discretion with Respect
15 to Individuals who Came to the United States as Children
16 and with Respect to Certain Individuals Who Are the Par-
17 ents of U.S. Citizens or Permanent Residents’ dated No-
18 vember 20, 2014 (or any substantially similar policy
19 changes issued or taken on or after the date of the enact-
20 ment of the Amnesty Bonuses Elimination Act, whether
21 set forth in memorandum, Executive order, regulation, di-
22 rective, or by other action)” after “engage in such employ-
23 ment”.

24 **SEC. 3. RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.**

25 Nothing in the amendment made by section 2 shall
26 be construed as Congressional approval or validation of

1 the deferred action policies set forth in the memorandum
2 from the Secretary of Homeland Security entitled “Exer-
3 cising Prosecutorial Discretion with Respect to Individuals
4 Who Came to the United States as Children” dated June
5 15, 2012, or the memorandum from the Secretary of
6 Homeland Security entitled “Exercising Prosecutorial
7 Discretion with Respect to Individuals who Came to the
8 United States as Children and with Respect to Certain
9 Individuals Who Are the Parents of U.S. Citizens or Per-
10 manent Residents” dated November 20, 2014, or any ac-
11 tions taken pursuant to such policies, or as an acknowl-
12 edgment that such policies or actions represent a proper
13 and lawful exercise of the President’s authority under the
14 Constitution.

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