

115TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 6580

AN ACT

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for naturalization processes for the immediate relatives of first responders who die as a result of their employment, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Kerrie Orozco First
3 Responders Family Support Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. NATURALIZATION FOR IMMEDIATE RELATIVES OF**
5 **FIRST RESPONDERS.**

6 Section 319 of the Immigration and Nationality Act
7 (8 U.S.C. 1430) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
8 lowing:

9 “(f) IMMEDIATE RELATIVES OF FIRST RESPOND-
10 ERS.—

11 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Any person who is the sur-
12 viving spouse, child, or parent of a United States
13 citizen, whose citizen spouse, parent, or child dies as
14 a result of injury or disease incurred in or aggra-
15 vated by employment as a first responder, and who,
16 in the case of a surviving spouse, was living in mar-
17 ital union with the citizen spouse at the time of his
18 death, may be naturalized upon compliance with all
19 the requirements of this title, except that no prior
20 residence or specified physical presence within the
21 United States shall be required.

22 “(2) DEFINITION.—For purposes of this sub-
23 section, the term ‘first responder’ means Federal,

- 1 State, and local government fire, law enforcement,
- 2 and emergency response personnel.”.

Passed the House of Representatives September 25,
2018.

Attest:

Clerk.

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