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H. R. 4226

To provide that certain guidance related to the citizenship of children of Federal employees and members of the Armed Forces shall have no force or effect, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 3, 2019

Mr. GALLEGO (for himself, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. MOORE, Mr. CROW, Mr. COHEN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. CORREA, and Mr. TED LIEU of California) 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Protecting Children
5 of Public Servants and Service Members Abroad Act of
6 2019”.

1 **SEC. 2. NULLIFYING GUIDANCE.**

2 The policy guidance entitled “Defining ‘Residence’ in
3 Statutory Provisions Related to Citizenship” issued by the
4 U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services on August 28,
5 2019, or any other substantially similar policy guidance,
6 memorandum, or action by the U.S. Citizenship and Im-
7 migration Services shall have no force or effect.

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