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H. R. 5581

To provide for a limitation on application of State laws with regard to
law enforcement uniform requirements.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 26, 2025

Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana introduced the following bill; which was referred
to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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with regard to law enforcement uniform requirements.

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 “Uniform Standards
5 Protection Act of 2025”.

6 **SEC. 2. LIMITATION ON APPLICATION OF STATE LAWS**
7 **WITH REGARD TO LAW ENFORCEMENT UNI-**
8 **FORM REQUIREMENTS.**

9 Notwithstanding any provision of State law, no re-
10 quirement may be imposed under State law regarding the

1 wearing of a uniform by any Federal law enforcement offi-
2 cer. For purposes of this section, the term “Federal law
3 enforcement officer” has the meaning given such term in
4 section 115(c) of title 18, United States Code, and in-
5 cludes any officer or employee of the United States with
6 responsibility for enforcing the immigration laws (as such
7 term is defined in section 101 of the Immigration and Na-
8 tionality Act). In the case of any proceeding against a
9 Federal law enforcement officer pending as of the date of
10 enactment of this Act for a violation of any State law that
11 is contrary to this section, such proceeding may not con-
12 tinue thereafter.

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