

SEC. 303. PROHIBITING ATTEMPTS AND CONSPIRACIES TO OBTAIN MILITARY-TYPE TRAINING FROM A FOREIGN TERRORIST ORGANIZATION.

Section 2339D(a) of title 18, United States Code, is amended by inserting “, or attempts or conspires to do so,” after “foreign terrorist organization”.

SEC. 304. PROHIBITING USE OF FALSE TRAVEL DOCUMENTS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1028 of title 18, United States Code, is amended—

(1) in the section heading, by inserting “false travel documents,” after “identification documents,”;

(2) in subsection (a)—

(A) in paragraph (1), by striking “or a false identification document” and inserting “false identification document, or false travel document”;

(B) in paragraph (2), by striking “or a false identification document” and inserting “false identification document, or false travel document”;

(C) in paragraph (3), by striking “or false identification documents” and inserting “false identification documents, or false travel documents”;

(D) in paragraph (5), by inserting “, false travel document,” after “false identification document”; and

(E) in paragraph (8), by inserting “false travel documents,” after “false identification documents,”;

(3) in subsection (b)—

(A) in paragraph (1)(B), by striking “or false identification documents” and inserting “false identification documents, or false travel documents”; and

(B) in paragraph (2)(A)—

(i) by striking “document,” and inserting “document,”; and

(ii) by striking “or a false identification document” and inserting “a false identification document, or a false travel document”;

(4) in subsection (c)(3)(B), by inserting “false travel document,” after “false identification document,”;

(5) in subsection (d)—

(A) in paragraph (11), by striking “and” at the end;

(B) in paragraph (12), by striking the period at the end and inserting “; and”; and

(C) by adding at the end the following:

“(13) the term ‘false travel document’ means a document issued for the use of a particular, identified individual and of a type intended or commonly accepted for the purposes of passage on a commercial aircraft or mass transportation vehicle, including a ticket or boarding pass, that—

“(A) was not issued by or under the authority of a commercial airline or mass transportation provider, but appears to be issued by or under the authority of a commercial airline or mass transportation provider; or

“(B) was issued by or under the authority of a commercial airline or mass transportation provider, and was subsequently altered for purposes of deceit.”; and

(6) in subsection (h), by inserting “false travel documents,” after “identification documents,”.

(b) TECHNICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections for chapter 47 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by striking the item related to section 1028 and inserting the following:

“1028. Fraud and related activity in connection with identification documents, false travel documents, authentication features, and information.”.

SEC. 305. PREVENTING UNWARRANTED RELEASE OF CONVICTED TERRORISTS AND SEX OFFENDERS PENDING SENTENCING OR APPEAL.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 3145 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(d) APPLICATION.—No person shall be eligible for release under subsection (c) based on exceptional reasons if the person is being detained pending sentencing or appeal in a case involving—

“(1) an offense under section 2332b of this title;

“(2) an offense listed in section 2332b(g)(5)(B) of this title for which a maximum term of imprisonment of 10 years or more is prescribed; or

“(3) an offense involving a minor victim under section 1201, 1591, 2241, 2242, 2244(a)(1), 2245, 2251, 2251A, 2252(a)(1), 2252(a)(2), 2252(a)(3), 2252A(a)(1), 2252A(a)(2), 2252A(a)(3), 2252A(a)(4), 2260, 2421, 2422, 2423, or 2425 of this title.”.

SUBMITTED RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION 290—TO CONSTITUTE THE MAJORITY PARTY’S MEMBERSHIP ON CERTAIN COMMITTEES FOR THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH CONGRESS, OR UNTIL THEIR SUCCESSORS ARE CHOSEN

Mr. REID submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

S. RES. 290

Resolved, That the following shall constitute the majority party’s membership on the following committees for the One Hundred Eleventh Congress, or until their successors are chosen:

COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES: Mr. Levin (Chairman), Mr. Byrd, Mr. Lieberman, Mr. Reed, Mr. Akaka, Mr. Nelson (Florida), Mr. Nelson (Nebraska), Mr. Bayh, Mr. Webb, Mrs. McCaskill, Mr. Udall (Colorado), Mrs. Hagan, Mr. Begich, Mr. Burr, and Mr. Kirk.

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, EDUCATION, LABOR AND PENSIONS: Mr. Harkin (Chairman), Mr. Dodd, Ms. Mikulski, Mr. Bingaman, Mrs. Murray, Mr. Reed, Mr. Sanders, Mr. Brown, Mr. Casey, Mrs. Hagan, Mr. Merkley, Mr. Franken, and Mr. Bennet.

COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS: Mr. Lieberman (Chairman), Mr. Levin, Mr. Akaka, Mr. Carper, Mr. Pryor, Ms. Landrieu, Mrs. McCaskill, Mr. Tester, Mr. Burr, and Mr. Kirk.

JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE: Mr. Schumer (Vice Chairman), Mr. Bingaman, Ms. Klobuchar, Mr. Casey, Mr. Webb, and Mr. Warner.

SENATE RESOLUTION 291—EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE GOALS OF NATIONAL ADOPTION DAY AND NATIONAL ADOPTION MONTH BY PROMOTING NATIONAL AWARENESS OF ADOPTION AND THE CHILDREN AWAITING FAMILIES, CELEBRATING CHILDREN AND FAMILIES INVOLVED IN ADOPTION, AND ENCOURAGING AMERICANS TO SECURE SAFETY, PERMANENCY, AND WELL-BEING FOR ALL CHILDREN

Ms. LANDRIEU (for herself, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. BURR, Mr.

KERRY, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. THUNE, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. REID, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. VITTER, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. JOHNSON, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. BEGICH, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. CONRAD, Mr. FRANKEN, Mr. JOHANNIS, Mr. HATCH, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, Mr. BROWN, Mr. GREGG, Mr. SPECTER, Mr. CASEY, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. DODD, and Mr. RISCH) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:

S. RES. 291

Whereas there are approximately 510,000 children in the foster care system in the United States, approximately 129,000 of whom are waiting for families to adopt them;

Whereas 61 percent of the children in foster care are age 10 or younger;

Whereas the average length of time a child spends in foster care is over 3 years;

Whereas, for many foster children, the wait for a loving family in which they are nurtured, comforted, and protected seems endless;

Whereas the number of youth who “age out” of foster care by reaching adulthood without being placed in a permanent home has continued to increase since 1998, and more than 26,000 foster youth age out every year;

Whereas every day loving and nurturing families are strengthened and expanded when committed and dedicated individuals make an important difference in the life of a child through adoption;

Whereas a 2007 survey conducted by the Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption demonstrated that though “Americans overwhelmingly support the concept of adoption, and in particular foster care adoption . . . foster care adoptions have not increased significantly over the past five years”;

Whereas, while 4 in 10 Americans have considered adoption, a majority of Americans have misperceptions about the process of adopting children from foster care and the children who are eligible for adoption;

Whereas 71 percent of those who have considered adoption consider adopting children from foster care above other forms of adoption;

Whereas 45 percent of Americans believe that children enter the foster care system because of juvenile delinquency, when in reality the vast majority of children who have entered the foster care system were victims of neglect, abandonment, or abuse;

Whereas 46 percent of Americans believe that foster care adoption is expensive, when in reality there is no substantial cost for adopting from foster care and financial support is available to adoptive parents after the adoption is finalized;

Whereas both National Adoption Day and National Adoption Month occur in November;

Whereas National Adoption Day is a collective national effort to find permanent, loving families for children in the foster care system;

Whereas, since the first National Adoption Day in 2000, more than 25,000 children have joined forever families during National Adoption Day;

Whereas, in 2008, adoptions were finalized for over 4,500 children through more than 325 National Adoption Day events in all 50 States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and Guam; and