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H. R. 3861

To prohibit the receipt of Federal financial assistance by sanctuary cities,
and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mrs. BIGGS of South Carolina (for herself, Mr. GILL of Texas, Mr. ZINKE, Ms. TENNEY, Mr. YAKYM, Mrs. LUNA, Mr. McDOWELL, Mr. BERGMAN, Mr. EDWARDS, Mrs. HINSON, and Mr. DONALDS) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

To prohibit the receipt of Federal financial assistance by
sanctuary cities, 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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Mobilizing Against
5 Sanctuary Cities Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. SANCTUARY CITIES INELIGIBLE FOR FEDERAL FI-**
2 **NANCIAL ASSISTANCE.**

3 (a) IDENTIFICATION.—The Attorney General shall
4 annually identify each State or local jurisdiction that—

5 (1) is not in compliance with section 642 of the
6 Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Respon-
7 sibility Act (8 U.S.C. 1373) and shall report such
8 determinations to Congress on March 1 of each year;
9 or

10 (2) does not comply with a request lawfully
11 made by the Department of Homeland Security
12 under section 236 or 287 of the Immigration and
13 Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1226 and 1357) to comply
14 with a detainer for, or notify about the release of,
15 an individual.

16 (b) INELIGIBILITY FOR FUNDING.—Any jurisdiction
17 that is found to be out of compliance shall be ineligible
18 to receive Federal financial assistance (as such term is de-
19 fined in section 7501(a)(5) of title 31, United States
20 Code) for a minimum period of one year, and shall only
21 become eligible again after the Attorney General certifies
22 that the jurisdiction is in compliance.

23 (c) REPORT.—The Attorney General shall also issue
24 a report concerning the compliance of any particular State

1 or local jurisdiction at the request of any Member of Con-
2 gress.

