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H. R. 6890

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 18, 2025

Mr. QUIGLEY (for himself, Ms. JAYAPAL, Ms. McBRIDE, Mrs. FOUSHEE, Ms. NORTON, Ms. JACOBS, Ms. OMAR, Mrs. RAMIREZ, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Mr. GARCIA of California, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Ms. TLAIB, and Mr. GOLDMAN of New York) 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Protecting the Rights
3 Of Towns against federal Enforcement contrary to Con-
4 stitutional Tenets for Immigration Act of 2025” or as the
5 “PROTECT Immigration Act of 2025”.

6 **SEC. 2. RESCISSION OF STATE AND LOCAL IMMIGRATION**
7 **ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY.**

8 Section 287(g) of the Immigration and Nationality
9 Act (8 U.S.C. 1357(g)) is amended to read as follows:

10 “(g) Except as provided in paragraph (10) of section
11 103(a), in section 274(c), and in section 439 of the
12 Antiterrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act of 1996
13 (8 U.S.C. 1252c), the authority to inquire about or verify
14 immigration or citizenship status and to investigate, ap-
15 prehend, arrest, or detain an individual for a violation of
16 this Act or any regulation authorized by this Act is re-
17 stricted to immigration officers and authorized employees
18 of the Department of Homeland Security and subject to
19 limits set forth in other provisions of law.”.

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