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To prohibit transportation of any alien using certain methods of identification,
and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. GREEN of Tennessee (for himself, Mr. McCAUL, Mr. GUEST, Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana, Mr. BISHOP of North Carolina, Mr. CRANE, Mr. ELLZEY, Mr. STRONG, Mr. D'ESPOSITO, Mr. LUTTRELL, Mr. OGLES, Mr. OWENS, Mr. NEHLS, Mr. GOOD of Virginia, Mr. TIFFANY, Mr. POSEY, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. RESCHENTHALER, Mr. VAN DREW, Mr. PERRY, Mr. ROSE, and Mr. CRAWFORD) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Homeland Security, 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

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of identification, 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 “Verifying that all
5 Aliens have Legitimate Identification Documents Act” or
6 the “VALID Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. PERMANENT PROHIBITION ON OPERATIONS FOR**
2 **AIR CARRIERS THAT PROVIDE, OR FACILI-**
3 **TATE THE PROVISION OF, TRANSPORTATION**
4 **OF ANY ALIEN USING CERTAIN METHODS OF**
5 **IDENTIFICATION.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 401 of title 49, United
7 States Code, is amended by inserting after section 40130
8 the following new section:

9 **“§ 40131. Permanent prohibition on operations for air**
10 **carriers that transport any alien using**
11 **certain methods of identification**

12 “An air carrier or foreign air carrier may not operate
13 an aircraft in foreign air transportation or land such air-
14 craft at any airport in the United States if the air carrier
15 or foreign air carrier actively provides, or actively facili-
16 tates the provision of, transportation of any alien using
17 any of the following for purposes of identification:

18 “(1) The CBP One Mobile Application.

19 “(2) Department of Homeland Security Form
20 I-385, Notice to Report.

21 “(3) Department of Homeland Security Form
22 I-862, Notice to Appear.”.

23 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The analysis for chap-
24 ter 401 of title 49, United States Code, is amended by
25 inserting after the item relating to section 40130 the fol-
26 lowing:

“40131. Permanent prohibition on operations for air carriers that transport any alien using certain methods of identification.”.

1 **SEC. 3. PROHIBITION OF CERTAIN FORMS OF IDENTIFICA-**
2 **TION FOR AIRLINE PASSENGERS.**

3 Section 7220 of the Intelligence Reform and Ter-
4 rorism Prevention Act of 2004 (Public Law 108–458; 49
5 U.S.C. 44901 note) is amended—

6 (1) in subsection (c)(1)(C), by inserting “except
7 as provided in subsection (d),” before “any docu-
8 ment”;

9 (2) by redesignating subsection (d) as sub-
10 section (e); and

11 (3) by inserting after subsection (c) the fol-
12 lowing new subsection (d):

13 “(d) PROHIBITION OF CERTAIN FORMS OF IDENTI-
14 FICATION.—In carrying out this section, the Secretary of
15 Homeland Security may not designate or permit any of
16 the following as a valid identification document for a do-
17 mestic commercial airline passenger seeking to board an
18 aircraft:

19 “(1) The CBP One Mobile Application.

20 “(2) Department of Homeland Security Form
21 I–385, Notice to Report.

22 “(3) Department of Homeland Security Form
23 I–862, Notice to Appear.”.

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