

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: DECEMBER 16, 2007



For more information contact:  
Jeff Lewis, National Director  
**Federal Immigration Reform & Enforcement Coalition**  
Email: [Jeff@firecoalition.com](mailto:Jeff@firecoalition.com)  
Phone: 252-876-9489

FREE RAMOS &  
COMPEAN!!



***No more "Taxation Without Representation" on 234<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Boston Tea Party!!***  
**H.R. 4088 & S. 2368: SANCTUARIES ARE VIRTUALLY EVERYWHERE ACT**

*"It will be of little avail to the people that the laws are made by men of their own choice, if the laws be so voluminous that they cannot be read, or so incoherent that they cannot be understood; if they be repealed or revised before they are promulgated, or undergo such incessant changes that no man who knows what the law is today can guess what it will be tomorrow." - James Madison (Author of the U.S. Constitution, & 4<sup>th</sup> President)*

Former First Lady Nancy Reagan coined two phrases during the 1980's that seem appropriate today.

1. **"READING IS FUNDAMENTAL."** (You have to read these bills yourself!)
2. **"JUST SAY NO!"** (Just say NO to blindly supporting legislation!)

There are currently two pieces of legislation working their way through the House and Senate, with a flurry of unqualified support and special-interest endorsements, despite warnings that these bills threaten the 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment (H.R. 4088 & S. 2368). This is just another nibbling away of the Constitution.

Members of Congress and the American people have been told that H.R. 2399's inclusion in the SAVE Act is nothing to worry about, that most of it is already law, and that the portion of most concern to some, Section 141, "is already law." **That is simply not true.**

**The law referred to is Title 8, Chapter 12, Subchapter II, Part VIII, 1324a:** *(emphasis added)*  
[http://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode08/usc\\_sec\\_08\\_00001324----000-.html](http://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode08/usc_sec_08_00001324----000-.html)

*"(C) It is not a violation of clauses (ii) or (iii) of subparagraph (A), or of clause (iv) of subparagraph (A) EXCEPT where a person encourages or induces an alien to come to or enter the United States..."*

**Below is the language from H.R. 4088 that violates the 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment.**  
[http://patriotwatchdog.com/Stripes/HR4088\\_SAVE\\_ACT.htm](http://patriotwatchdog.com/Stripes/HR4088_SAVE_ACT.htm)

*"(C) It is a **DEFENSE** to a violation of, or an attempt or conspiracy to violate, clause (iii) or (iv) of subsection (a)(1)(A)..."* (Remaining language in this section of the SAVE Act and Title 8 are identical.)

The SAVE ACT is the 2007 "feel good" legislation leading into the 2008 Presidential campaign season, just as the "Secure Fence Act of 2006" was the "feel good" legislation leading into the 2006 election.

**Read the complete Operation Body Count F.I.R.E. Inspection Report at:**  
**<http://operationbodycount.com/SAVEACT2.pdf>**

Visit these FIRE Coalition projects: [WeHireAliens.com](http://WeHireAliens.com), [OperationBodyCount.com](http://OperationBodyCount.com), [SendTheTaxman.com](http://SendTheTaxman.com), [OperationBankrupt.com](http://OperationBankrupt.com), [OperationFIREandICE.com](http://OperationFIREandICE.com), [AmericaFirstBoycott.com](http://AmericaFirstBoycott.com), [MillerBoycott.com](http://MillerBoycott.com).

God Bless America and those that defend her Constitution, safety, sovereignty, and posterity.

## Read [U.S. Code, Title 8, Chapter 12, Subchapter II, Part VIII, § 1324](#)

In layman's terms, according to Section (A)(v)(I & II), and Section (B), clauses (iii & iv):

Any person who engages in any form of aiding and abetting of illegal aliens, or engages in any conspiracy to aid and abet **shall be punished**, and if that aiding and abetting or conspiracy to aid and abet **“places in jeopardy the life of,”** or **“results in the death of any person”** that person “shall be punished by imprisonment up to 20 years” or life in prison, or could even receive the DEATH PENALTY.

Every American is “in jeopardy” of suffering serious bodily injury or death because of the conspiracy of the religious organizations who want immunity from “aiding and abetting” the invasion.

- Count the bodies on the “Wall” at the Vietnam War Memorial in Washington, D.C. As you walk past all the names of the Everyday American Heroes who made the ultimate sacrifice, **remember:**
- The 50,000 Americans silenced by the President's and Congress' failure to uphold their oath of office. The victims in this body count can't call, fax, or write their Congressmen.
- September 11, 2001. Remember the 50,000 Americans killed on American soil since then...
- Remember the Secure “*our talking points before the election*” Fence Act of 2006. What? No fence? Just talk? They passed H.R. 6061. The President signed it. They now play charades and clever games to remove the funding so it will NEVER be built! All we got was something to “feel good” about, and the politicians got to stand up and say “I voted for it. I voted to fund it.” Do not let that same dog and pony show woo you into supporting the SAVE Act. Keep the invasion of our country on the third rail of politics. Every Member of the House is up for re-election. All of them! They all want this subject to go away, without doing anything real. U.S. Code, Title 8 is all the legislation we need to stop the aiding and abetting. Don't let them water down Title 8 by giving religious organizations immunity, an amnesty that is never-ending. Stop drinking the koolaid!

**Protect** American lives, not some “ACT” that will just help continue the status quo. Deploy troops to secure the border. This F.I.R.E. INSPECTION gives the President and Congress a failing grade. The bipartisan SAVE Act would only give the politicians another “talking point” for their campaigns, and would give religious organizations immunity for conspiring to aid and abet. Read these bills, and stop taking anyone's endorsement for gospel. Tell these pandering traitors:

Protect my country and stop acting like new legislation and a growing bureaucracy is the answer, or YOU'RE FIRED!! Call your state legislators and tell them to call their Congressman and

**JUST SAY NO TO THE SAVE ACT!**

*“I know of no safe depository of the ultimate powers of the society but the people themselves; and if we think them not enlightened enough to exercise their control with a wholesome discretion, the remedy is not to take it from them, but to inform their discretion.” – Thomas Jefferson*

**Read the complete Operation Body Count F.I.R.E. Inspection Report at:**  
**<http://operationbodycount.com/SAVEACT2.pdf>**

Visit these FIRE Coalition projects: [WeHireAliens.com](http://WeHireAliens.com), [OperationBodyCount.com](http://OperationBodyCount.com), [SendTheTaxman.com](http://SendTheTaxman.com), [OperationBankrupt.com](http://OperationBankrupt.com), [OperationFIREandICE.com](http://OperationFIREandICE.com), [AmericaFirstBoycott.com](http://AmericaFirstBoycott.com), [MillerBoycott.com](http://MillerBoycott.com).

God Bless America and those that defend her Constitution, safety, sovereignty, and posterity.

## **Below are brief comments on various sections of the SAVE Act:**

### **Section 101: MANPOWER**

The government's "black ops" partner *BlackWater* is being encouraged to recruit our best and brightest Border Patrol Agents for border security work in Iraq? How are we supposed to backfill that experience when what we really need is to increase our Border Patrol?

### **Section 102: TECHNOLOGY**

It has already been approved to place military on the border, so why do we need to develop a plan? Can we not use the plan already prepared for border security in Iraq? Why not bring home our Border Patrol Agents from Iraq? Is Iraq's border security more important than our own? Who's kidding who here?

The sovereign nation of India has thousands of miles of borders, but they know how to stop the barriers from being compromised: 160,000 troops. Cameras are nice to watch people stream across, but the objective is to STOP them from doing so in the first place, not collect video and snapshots for your photo album.

### **Section 103: INFRASTRUCTURE**

Ask Speaker Pelosi or Senate Majority Leader Reid if they'll snatch the funding that isn't even in this bill out from under it like they are doing the Secure Fence Act funding? Show me the money!

Where will the money come for this? The same place the Secure Fence Act money came from, and then was removed from? Don't believe it for a minute. Don't "feel good" about future promises. Enforce the laws NOW. Article IV, Section 4 does not say "we'll try..." it says GUARANTEE PROTECTION AGAINST INVASION. That means deploy the troops NOW!

### **Section 104: AERIAL VEHICLES AND SURVEILLANCE SYSTEMS**

We know we are being invaded. Enough of the pilot programs rhetoric. Put the military on the borders as approved over a year ago. The only winners in these high-tech monitoring programs are the fat-cat special interest groups funding the campaigns of the Senators and Congressmen pushing them.

There is a lot of "consider, consult, and assess and consult" rhetoric in this virtual monitoring jumble of words. Deploy the military as already authorized. Stop talking in circles while doing nothing.

Visit these FIRE Coalition projects: [WeHireAliens.com](http://WeHireAliens.com), [OperationBodyCount.com](http://OperationBodyCount.com), [SendTheTaxman.com](http://SendTheTaxman.com), [OperationBankrupt.com](http://OperationBankrupt.com), [OperationFIREandICE.com](http://OperationFIREandICE.com), [AmericaFirstBoycott.com](http://AmericaFirstBoycott.com), [MillerBoycott.com](http://MillerBoycott.com).

**God Bless America and those that defend her Constitution, safety, sovereignty, and posterity.**

Phrases in this section like “subject to the availability of appropriations” means it will NEVER HAPPEN! Remember the 700 miles of fence?

## **Section 111: NATIONAL STRATEGY TO SECURE THE BORDERS**

This section is long on words and short on meaning. It says a lot, but does nothing. Re-deploy our troops from Germany or South Korea back home where they can protect the number one border on the list of priorities to protect: the U.S. border.

We won't need to “assess and assess some more” about new detention centers if we STOP the flow of illegal aliens into the country, duh. Stop the social welfare gravy-train that is enticing illegal aliens to come here, and clamp down on employers who hire them, and most will self-deport. All you need is already in U.S. Code, Title 8. Enforce the law. Stop playing Americans for fools and suckers.

## **Section 141: ALIEN SMUGGLING AND TERRORISM PREVENTION**

This section is simply a complete copy of H.R. 2399. The comments made on the floor of the House in May, 2007 tell a story. Apparently, this was added to shut up the religious groups who fought H.R. 4437 with the statement: “If someone provides water to a person who is dying of thirst and this person came across the border illegally, the person providing such assistance could be prosecuted for a felony.” That is a bogus excuse. The Volunteer Protection Act would more than cover such a situation.

In May of 2007, on the Floor of the House, these statements were made about H.R. 2399:

**Mr. KELLER of Florida stated:**

Snip:

*“There is a discussion and debate now about what the language should be. No one wants to prosecute those who are engaged in Good Samaritan activities.*

Snip:

*I have the bill before us that we are debating. This is the last version, the one we're debating on. And the date on it is May 22, at 1:35 p.m. It is now 3:40 p.m. It's as thick as a small town phone book, and yet we've only had it for a couple of hours. There have been no hearings. No subcommittee markup. No full committee markup.*

*Now, I'm not someone who usually gets up and complains about process, but this is an example where someone like me and others of the committee could have been quite helpful if we had had hearings, could have had a markup. There are a couple of major flaws in this bill that I'll talk about. And I say this in good spirit. I'm going to actually vote for this bill because I think your intentions are correct. But let me just give you two examples.*

*First, if you help smuggle in a terrorist, you can go to jail for up to 30 years. Under the language of this bill, you have to show that the smuggler knew that*

Visit these FIRE Coalition projects: [WeHireAliens.com](http://WeHireAliens.com), [OperationBodyCount.com](http://OperationBodyCount.com), [SendTheTaxman.com](http://SendTheTaxman.com), [OperationBankrupt.com](http://OperationBankrupt.com), [OperationFIREandICE.com](http://OperationFIREandICE.com), [AmericaFirstBoycott.com](http://AmericaFirstBoycott.com), [MillerBoycott.com](http://MillerBoycott.com).

**God Bless America and those that defend her Constitution, safety, sovereignty, and posterity.**

*the person was a terrorist and knew that he intended to engage in terrorist activities.*

*Now, you don't have to be Johnny Cochran to successfully defend a defendant in that particular case. The standard is just almost impossible for a prosecutor to prove. For example, let's say that you have Mohammad Atta on the stand, and he's just been detained by a Border Patrol agent and we want to apply this new provision.*

*If I was the defense attorney, my first question to the Border Patrol agent would be, Mr. Border Patrol Agent, you've arrested my client. You want to send him to prison for 30 years. Did Mr. Atta show you his al Qaeda ID card? No? Did Mr. Atta show you the picture that he has with Bin Laden and his family? No? Did he show you some videotape showing him on the monkey bars in the Afghanistan training camps? No? Well, if not, how do you know with mathematical certainty that this guy is a terrorist?*

*It's almost impossible to prove.*

*That's an example of something we could have fixed during the markup, saying, if you brought this person into the country for financial gain and he's a member of the terrorist watch list, we're going to give you an enhanced sentence up to 30 years. But we didn't have that chance because there was no markup.*

*Another thing that's flawed is, it doesn't fix the Good Samaritan exception. There's language in this bill that talks about Good Samaritans. Specifically, it says it is a defense, if you are arrested for a religious organization or one of its members to provide room, board, travel, medical assistance or other basic living expenses. That's the situation of a nun, for example, helping someone who's going to die out there in the 110-degree heat. We all believe that that should be provided.*

*But I read you the transcript of the Attorney General; he said, because this Good Samaritan exception needs to be tightened, and it does. For example, under this law, because you didn't talk with us about fixing it, if you are a member of the Red Cross or you're a member of the United Way, which is not religious affiliated, you could still be prosecuted.*

*Now, none of us wants that to happen.*

*My point is, as this bill moves forward, I'm willing to support it because I support the intent behind it. I support getting tough with alien smugglers. But the bottom line is, we need to fix this in conference. We need to work with Republicans and Democrats to include our input to make sure that at the end the day we have a much better bill that we can be proud of."*

Mr. Hill the bill sponsor stated:

Snip:

"It is estimated that there are currently more than 20 million illegal immigrants in this country. The cost of illegal immigration to our health care system, public education system, prison system and social services continues to rise without any sign of stopping or slowing.

Visit these FIRE Coalition projects: [WeHireAliens.com](http://WeHireAliens.com), [OperationBodyCount.com](http://OperationBodyCount.com), [SendTheTaxman.com](http://SendTheTaxman.com), [OperationBankrupt.com](http://OperationBankrupt.com), [OperationFIREandICE.com](http://OperationFIREandICE.com), [AmericaFirstBoycott.com](http://AmericaFirstBoycott.com), [MillerBoycott.com](http://MillerBoycott.com).

**God Bless America and those that defend her Constitution, safety, sovereignty, and posterity.**

Honest men and women should realize all the new “feel good” legislation in the world won’t solve a problem if the men and women we elect refuse to enforce the laws already on the books. Selective enforcement of laws of convenience is what got us into this mess.

## Section 152: FINDINGS

Congressman Hill stated on the floor of the House we have 20,000,000 illegal aliens. Even that number is low by as much as one half, and yet still doesn’t qualify as “invasion-level” numbers?

Congress passed, and President Clinton signed into law the ICE 287(g) Delegation of Immigration Authority Program eleven, count them 11 YEARS AGO, during the 1996 “Feel Good” dog and pony legislation show. Subsequent Congresses and Presidents have failed to fund or promote the 287(g) Program. Campaign promises and election year promises are usually what you think they are: FLAT OUT LIES. Look at what they have done in the past on these issues. Do not believe what any of the candidates tell you about what they will do.

How many billboards have you seen promoting WIC programs for illegal aliens? How many billboards have you seen promoting 287(g)? Starting to get the picture?

## Section 201: MANDATORY EMPLOYMENT AUTHORIZATION VERIFICATION

Never since the dawn of civilization has any government been successful at centralized control of jobs. Mandatory use of e-verify places the federal government between every employee and a possible employer. We have in place laws which make it illegal to hire illegal aliens. Enforce those laws.

The reason we are in the current mess is **LACK OF LAW ENFORCEMENT – NOT A SHORTAGE OF LAWS**. We have an overage of attorneys and a shortage of ICE Inspectors and a shortage of Border Patrol agents. Here, yet again is an attempt for centralized control of the jobs.

This proposal does not state that but that is in fact what it does. There is nothing wrong with making e-verify permanent but it must be left voluntary. With this in effect, if I start a business and I want my son working for me, I will need government permission. This, dear reader is extreme socialism / communism, and should scare the Hell out of you that your Congress is promoting this with a smile on their faces. Feel good yet?

Have we forgotten “states’ rights,” or the rights of the individual citizen as defined and protected in the Constitution of the United States? State legislators are also U.S. Citizens, and each of them has a Congressman and two Senators. They should be calling and faxing their respective Representatives in Congress and telling them:

**“Reading is fundamental, and JUST SAY NO to the SAVE Act!”**

There are a few good ideas in the SAVE Act worth pursuing, and the FIRE Coalition and its partners will be presenting them to Congress, state legislators, and to “We the People” for Visit these FIRE Coalition projects: [WeHireAliens.com](http://WeHireAliens.com), [OperationBodyCount.com](http://OperationBodyCount.com), [SendTheTaxman.com](http://SendTheTaxman.com), [OperationBankrupt.com](http://OperationBankrupt.com), [OperationFIREandICE.com](http://OperationFIREandICE.com), [AmericaFirstBoycott.com](http://AmericaFirstBoycott.com), [MillerBoycott.com](http://MillerBoycott.com).

**God Bless America and those that defend her Constitution, safety, sovereignty, and posterity.**

consideration in the coming weeks. In the meantime, we would suggest you READ H.R. 4088 and S. 2368 yourself before you encourage your Congressman or Senator to support un-Constitutional legislation. Stop drinking the koolaid. Be a responsible citizen. Read the Constitution while you still have one.

You can find these bills and much more at <http://thomas.loc.gov>

You can also find these bills directly in the Stars & Stripes area under development at PatriotWatchdog.com:

H.R. 4088 The Complete Text of the Bill:

[http://patriotwatchdog.com/stripes/HR4088\\_SAVE\\_ACT\\_COMPLETE.htm](http://patriotwatchdog.com/stripes/HR4088_SAVE_ACT_COMPLETE.htm)

H.R. 4088 Section 141:

[http://patriotwatchdog.com/stripes/HR4088\\_SAVE\\_ACT\\_141.htm](http://patriotwatchdog.com/stripes/HR4088_SAVE_ACT_141.htm)

S. 2368 Complete Text of the Bill:

[http://patriotwatchdog.com/stripes/S2368\\_SAVE\\_ACT\\_COMPLETE.htm](http://patriotwatchdog.com/stripes/S2368_SAVE_ACT_COMPLETE.htm)

You can read Title 8 at the Cornell University Law School Legal Information Institute:

[U.S. Code, Title 8, Chapter 12, Subchapter II, Part VIII, § 1324](http://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode08/usc_sec_08_00001324----000-.html)

[http://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode08/usc\\_sec\\_08\\_00001324----000-.html](http://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode08/usc_sec_08_00001324----000-.html)

State Legislators for Legal Immigration Coalition founder, Pennsylvania State Representative Daryl Metcalfe stated Friday Dec. 07, 2007 during a press conference at the National Press Club in Washington, D.C. the following:

*"I don't believe there's any legislator that's involved with our coalition that would allow or be supportive of allowing the law to allow any American to aid and abet a criminal or an illegal alien invader, which is what they are. They've come here uninvited. They've come here unauthorized, and we should not allow any individual residing in this country to aid and abet someone who's committing an act of invading our country."*

The State Legislators for Legal Immigration Coalition consists exclusively of members of state legislators across the country, and currently has members from 32 state legislatures. You can view the entire video of the press conference held Dec. 07, 2007 in Washington, D.C. at their website. The [FIRE Coalition](http://statelegislatorsforlegalimmigration.com) believes you should encourage your state legislators to join them.

<http://statelegislatorsforlegalimmigration.com>

**You can find this complete document and more in the download area of:**



Visit these FIRE Coalition projects: [WeHireAliens.com](http://WeHireAliens.com), [OperationBodyCount.com](http://OperationBodyCount.com), [SendTheTaxman.com](http://SendTheTaxman.com), [OperationBankrupt.com](http://OperationBankrupt.com), [OperationFIREandICE.com](http://OperationFIREandICE.com), [AmericaFirstBoycott.com](http://AmericaFirstBoycott.com), [MillerBoycott.com](http://MillerBoycott.com).

God Bless America and those that defend her Constitution, safety, sovereignty, and posterity.