

AMENDMENT

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Insert, at the appropriate place, the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . DHS TRAINING STANDARDS.**

2 Section 287 of the Immigration and Nationality Act
3 (8 U.S.C. 1357) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
4 lowing:

5 “(i)(1) Not later than 180 days after the date of en-
6 actment of this Act, the Secretary of Homeland Security
7 shall, in collaboration with the Bureau of Indian Affairs
8 and in consultation with Indian tribes, develop training
9 curricula for any officer or employee of the Department
10 of Homeland Security on—

11 “(A) appropriate protocol, as developed by
12 the Secretary, for interacting with all enrolled
13 members of Indian Tribes;

14 “(B) how to identify a Native American
15 tribal document;

16 “(C) accepting a Native American tribal
17 document as proof of United States citizenship;

18 “(D) how to access examples of a Native
19 American tribal document; and

1 “(E) the trust responsibility of the United
2 States Government.

3 “(2) The curricula developed under paragraph (1)
4 shall include—

5 “(A) the contact information, names, locations,
6 and Native American tribal document formats of all
7 Indian Tribes in the region where an officer or em-
8 ployee will perform duties relating to enforcement of
9 the immigration laws;

10 “(B) scenario-based exercises;

11 “(C) the development of a database with exam-
12 ples of Native American tribal documents;

13 “(D) pre- and post-training assessments; and

14 “(E) a history with respect to American Indians
15 being granted United States citizenship and the
16 trust responsibility of the United States Govern-
17 ment.

18 “(3) Before an officer or employee may perform du-
19 ties relating to enforcement of the immigration laws, such
20 officer or employee shall be required to complete the train-
21 ing curricula developed under paragraph (1) not less than
22 annually and each time the officer or employee is assigned
23 to a new region.

24 “(4) Not later than 1 year after the date of enact-
25 ment of this Act, the Secretary shall submit a report on

1 the development of the training curricula established
2 under this subsection to the Committees on the Judiciary,
3 Homeland Security, and Natural Resources of the House
4 of Representatives and the Committees on the Judiciary,
5 Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, and Indian
6 Affairs of the Senate.

7 “(5) In this subsection—

8 “(A) the term ‘Indian tribe’ has the meaning
9 given such term in the Federally Recognized Indian
10 Tribe List Act of 1994; and

11 “(B) the term ‘Native American tribal docu-
12 ment’ includes—

13 “(i) Native American tribal cards issued
14 pursuant to section 7209 of the Intelligence Re-
15 form and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004
16 (Public Law 108–458);

17 “(ii) documentary evidence issued by Fed-
18 erally recognized Indian Tribes, including
19 Tribes located in a State that has an inter-
20 national border, which—

21 “(I) identifies the Federally recog-
22 nized Indian Tribe that issued the docu-
23 ment;

24 “(II) identifies the individual by
25 name; and

1 “(III) confirms the individual’s mem-
2 bership, enrollment, or affiliation with the
3 Tribe;

4 “(iii) other documents approved by the
5 Secretary of Homeland Security as confirming
6 United States citizenship; and

7 “(iv) documents described in subparagraph
8 (B)(ii) include—

9 “(I) a tribal enrollment card;

10 “(II) a certificate of degree of Indian
11 blood;

12 “(III) a tribal census document; and

13 “(IV) a document on tribal letterhead,
14 issued under the signature of the appro-
15 priate tribal official, that meets the re-
16 quirements of subparagraph (B)(ii).”.

