



AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To restrict the use of Federal funds appropriated to the Department of Homeland Security for the transportation of illegal aliens within the United States.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—117th Cong., 2d Sess.

H. R. 2617

To amend section 1115 of title 31, United States Code, to amend the description of how performance goals are achieved, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. JOHNSON to the amendment (No. 6552) proposed by Mr. LEAHY

Viz:

- 1 On page 757, between lines 15 and 16, insert the fol-
- 2 lowing:
- 3 SEC. 550. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b),
- 4 none of the funds made available under this division may
- 5 be used by the Department of Homeland Security—
- 6 (1) to transport aliens who are unlawfully
- 7 present in the United States; or
- 8 (2) to award grants or contracts to third par-
- 9 ties to provide transportation within the United
- 10 States to aliens described in paragraph (1).

1 (b) Funds made available under this division may be
2 used by the Department of Homeland Security—

3 (1) to return any alien who is unlawfully
4 present in the United States to—

5 (A) such alien's country of origin;

6 (B) Mexico; or

7 (C) the first safe country through which
8 such alien traveled en route to the United
9 States; or

10 (2) to transport any such alien—

11 (A) to a Federal detention facility; or

12 (B) to a Federal courthouse or other Fed-
13 eral facility for an immigration proceeding.