



# INTERNATIONAL UNION OF POLICE ASSOCIATIONS

THE ONLY UNION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS

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The Honorable Rodney Davis  
United States House of Representatives  
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Dear Congressman Davis:

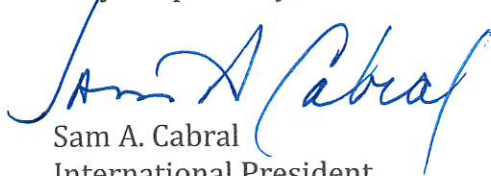
On behalf of the International Union of Police Associations, AFL-CIO, I am proud to support your legislation, **HR 3131**, the **"David Dorn Back the Blue Act"**.

This legislation will be critical to recruiting and retaining law enforcement officers during these challenging shortages and rising violent crime rates. It does not reward those who have attempted to "defund" their departments, while helping cash-strapped employers subsidize and raise salaries for their police officers.

We believe that one of the primary duties of government is to protect its citizens and your thoughtful legislation does exactly that. It will provide a good return to the American taxpayer.

I look forward to working with you and your staff to see this legislation move forward.

Very Respectfully,



Sam A. Cabral  
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