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The Honorable Patrick J. Toomey
United States Senate
455 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Toomey:

On behalf of the International Union of Police Associations, AFL-CIO, I am honored to lend our endorsement and support to your recently introduced and critical legislation, **S. 3452**, the “**Stop Dangerous Sanctuary Cities Act**”.

This bill will allow local and state law enforcement officers and corrections personnel to cooperate with the Department of Homeland Security in compliance with a detainer issued by that department and for notification of an impending release of a person subject to such a detainer.

It additionally makes the entities with statutes prohibiting cooperation with the Department of Homeland Security ineligible for certain government grants for public works, economic development, and administrative expenses.

The bill will protect our communities from violent criminals and terrorists who are illegally present in our nation. We find it sad that such a bill is even necessary. We will work with you and your staff to move this bill forward.

Very Respectfully,

Sam A. Cabral
International President