

## INTERNATIONAL UNION OF POLICE ASSOCIATIONS

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The Honorable Ted Cruz United States Senate 127A Russell Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Cruz:

On behalf of the International Union of Police Associations, I would like to voice our appreciation and support of your thoughtful and timely introduction of Senate Resolution 732, in support of the United States Border Patrol in Del Rio, Texas.

We join you in saluting these brave men and women who have been smeared by the media and this administration for doing their jobs to protect the sovereignty of this great nation. The rush to judgement, based on a few photos of these agents, without knowledge of the background or facts surrounding this incident, has become almost the norm for those opposed to simply enforcing the laws of this nation and is, to borrow a phrase, deplorable.

We thank you for its introduction and your recognition of the truth surrounding the events of September 19, 2021.

Very Respectfully,

Sam A. Cabral

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