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The Honorable Ken Calvert  
United States House of Representatives  
2205 Rayburn Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Congressman Calvert:

On behalf of the International Union of Police Associations, AFL-CIO, I am proud to endorse and support your very needed legislation, H.R. 136, which will deny federal funding to those jurisdictions who impeded or prevented law enforcement from immigration detainers issued by the Secretary of Homeland Security.

We represent rank and file active-duty law enforcement professionals across this nation, including the U.S. territories of Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. We are the ones who see the rise in crime committed by persons residing in this country illegally who have been arrested for additional crimes and then released to commit further criminal acts.

This government should certainly not fund such activity.

We look forward to working with you and your staff to see this vital bill passed.

Very Respectfully,

Sam A. Cabral  
International President