

Union Calendar No. 523

119TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 1071

[Report No. 119-603]

To provide that any foreign government official who engages in censorship of American speech is inadmissible and deportable.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 6, 2025

Mr. ISSA (for himself, Ms. SALAZAR, Mr. GILL of Texas, and Mr. BAUMGARTNER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

APRIL 9, 2026

Additional sponsors: Mr. HUNT and Mr. CLINE

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Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on February 6, 2025]

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
 2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 *This Act may be cited as the “No Censors on our*
 5 *Shores Act of 2025”.*

6 **SEC. 2. INADMISSIBILITY AND DEPORTABILITY RELATED**
 7 **TO CENSORING SPEECH.**

8 *(a) INADMISSIBILITY.—Section 212(a)(2) of the Immi-*
 9 *gration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1182(a)(2)) is*
 10 *amended by adding at the end the following:*

11 *“(J) CENSORSHIP.—Any alien who, while*
 12 *serving as a government official of any foreign*
 13 *government, was responsible for or directly car-*
 14 *ried out, at any time, the commission of any act*
 15 *against a United States citizen located in the*
 16 *United States that, if committed by a govern-*
 17 *ment official of the United States in the United*
 18 *States, would violate the First Amendment to the*
 19 *Constitution of the United States, is inadmis-*
 20 *sible.”.*

21 *(b) DEPORTABILITY.—Section 237(a)(2) of the Immi-*
 22 *gration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1227(a)(2)) is*
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