

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 275

AN ACT

To require the Secretary of Homeland Security to publish on a monthly basis the number of special interest aliens encountered attempting to unlawfully enter the United States, and for other purposes.

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

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Special Interest Alien
3 Reporting Act of 2025”.

4 **SEC. 2. PUBLICATION BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND
5 SECURITY OF THE NUMBER OF SPECIAL IN-
6 TEREST ALIENS ENCOUNTERED.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than the seventh day of
8 each month beginning with the first full month that begins
9 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary
10 of Homeland Security shall publish on a publicly available
11 webpage of the Department of Homeland Security and
12 submit to the Committee on Homeland Security of the
13 House of Representatives and the Committee on Home-
14 land Security and Governmental Affairs of the Senate a
15 report on the total number, and an identification of the
16 nationalities or countries of last habitual residence, of spe-
17 cial interest aliens encountered by the Department during
18 the immediately preceding month. Each such report shall
19 also include the following:

20 (1) Such number disaggregated by geographic
21 regions of such encounters.

22 (2) Specifications relating to whether such en-
23 counters were made at land, air, or sea ports of
24 entry, between ports of entry, or in the interior of
25 the United States.

1 (3) Identification of any such nationalities or
2 countries of last habitual residence that are covered
3 nations.

4 (b) INCLUSION.—The first report required under sub-
5 section (a) shall also include the matters described in such
6 subsection for the time period from January 20, 2021,
7 through January 19, 2025.

8 (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

9 (1) ALIEN.—The term “alien” has the meaning
10 given such term in section 101 of the Immigration
11 and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101).

12 (2) COVERED NATION.—The term “covered na-
13 tion” has the meaning given such term in section
14 4872(f)(2) of title 10, United States Code.

15 (3) SPECIAL INTEREST ALIEN.—The term “spe-
16 cial interest alien” means an alien who, based on an
17 analysis of travel patterns, potentially poses a na-
18 tional security risk to the United States or its inter-
19 ests.

Passed the House of Representatives June 26, 2025.

Attest:

Clerk.

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