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119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. FINE introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee
on _____

A BILL

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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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “No Welfare for Non-
5 Citizens Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. FEDERAL PUBLIC BENEFIT ELIGIBILITY.**

7 (a) ALIENS WHO ARE NOT QUALIFIED ALIENS IN-
8 ELIGIBLE FOR FEDERAL PUBLIC BENEFITS.—Section

1 401 of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity
2 Reconciliation Act of 1996 (8 U.S.C. 1611) is amended—

3 (1) in subsection (a) to read as follows:

4 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other pro-
5 vision of law, an alien (as defined in section 101 of the
6 Immigration and Nationality Act), is not eligible for any
7 Federal public benefit (as defined in subsection (c)).”;

8 (2) by repealing subsection (b); and

9 (3) in subsection (c), by inserting “cash assist-
10 ance,” after “unemployment benefit,”.

11 (b) DEFINITIONS.—Section 431 of the Personal Re-
12 sponsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of
13 1996 (8 U.S.C. 1641) is repealed.

14 (c) LIMITED ELIGIBILITY OF QUALIFIED ALIENS
15 FOR CERTAIN FEDERAL PROGRAMS.—Section 402 of the
16 Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconcili-
17 ation Act of 1996 (8 U.S.C. 1612).

18 (d) REPEALING LIMITED ELIGIBILITY OF QUALIFIED
19 ALIENS.—Section 403 of the Personal Responsibility and
20 Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (8 U.S.C.
21 1613) is repealed.