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# A BILL

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and maintain an online detainee locator system, and  
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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 “Find Our Families  
5 Act of 2026”.

1 **SEC. 2. U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION AND U.S.**  
2 **IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT**  
3 **ONLINE DETAINEE LOCATOR SYSTEM.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Homeland Secu-  
5 rity (in this section referred to as the “Secretary”) shall  
6 develop and maintain an online detainee locator system  
7 for individuals in the custody of U.S. Customs and Border  
8 Protection and U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforce-  
9 ment.

10 (b) REQUIREMENTS FOR DETAINEE LOCATOR SYS-  
11 TEM.—The online detainee locator system developed under  
12 this section shall—

13 (1) be made publicly accessible on the Depart-  
14 ment of Homeland Security website;

15 (2) be made available in—

16 (A) English;

17 (B) Spanish;

18 (C) Haitian Creole;

19 (D) any other language, as determined by  
20 the Officer for Civil Rights and Civil Liberties  
21 of the Department of Homeland Security, to be  
22 among the 10 most spoken first-languages of  
23 individuals based on data collected by U.S. Cus-  
24 toms and Border Protection with respect to na-  
25 tionwide encounters at any point in the pre-  
26 ceding fiscal year; and

1 (E) any other language necessary, pursu-  
2 ant to title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964  
3 (42 U.S.C. 2000d et seq.), which prohibits dis-  
4 crimination on the basis of national origin;

5 (3) include a search function tool that permits  
6 a user of such system to search for an individual in  
7 the custody of U.S. Customs and Border Protection  
8 and U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement by  
9 inputting—

10 (A) the alien registration number of such  
11 individual;

12 (B) the complete name of such individual;  
13 or

14 (C) the country of birth and date of birth  
15 of such individual; and

16 (4) with respect to any search results produced  
17 by the search function tool described in paragraph  
18 (3), display non-exact matches for first and last  
19 names.

20 (c) REQUIRED DETAINEE INFORMATION.—

21 (1) IN GENERAL.—Upon implementation of the  
22 online detainee locator system developed under this  
23 section, not later than 8 hours after an individual is  
24 detained by U.S. Customs and Border Protection or  
25 U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, the

1 Secretary shall make available to such system the  
2 following information:

3 (A) The alien registration number of such  
4 individual.

5 (B) The complete name of such individual.

6 (C) The date of birth of such individual.

7 (D) The country of birth of such indi-  
8 vidual.

9 (E) The date and time such individual was  
10 taken into custody by U.S. Customs and Border  
11 Protection or U.S. Immigration and Customs  
12 Enforcement.

13 (F) The name and address of the facility  
14 or location at in which such individual is lo-  
15 cated.

16 (G) The contact information for such facil-  
17 ity or location including a telephone number.

18 (2) TRANSFER.—If U.S. Customs and Border  
19 Protection or U.S. Immigration and Customs En-  
20 forcement transfers an individual described in para-  
21 graph (1) to a different facility or location, or to a  
22 different Federal, State, local, or Tribal law enforce-  
23 ment agency, the Secretary shall make available, not  
24 later than 8 hours after commencement of such

1 transfer, in addition to the information required  
2 under paragraph (1)—

3 (A) any updated information with respect  
4 to paragraph (1)(E) through (G);

5 (B) a time-stamped log of any transfers of  
6 such individual; and

7 (C) in the case of a transfer that requires  
8 such individual to be in transit for more than  
9 5 hours—

10 (i) the address of the facility or loca-  
11 tion from and to which such individual is  
12 being transferred;

13 (ii) the mode of transportation being  
14 used to transfer such individual; and

15 (iii) the estimated time of arrival.

16 (3) PROTECTION OF MINORS.—Any information  
17 described under paragraphs (1) or (2) that pertains  
18 to an individual under the age of 18, may not be  
19 made available to the online detainee locator system  
20 developed under this section.

21 (d) INFORMATION DATA RETENTION.—Any informa-  
22 tion made available under subsection (c) to the online de-  
23 tainee locator system developed under this section shall  
24 be retained on such system for not less than 60 days after  
25 an individual is—

1 (1) released from the custody U.S. Customs  
2 and Border Protection or U.S. Immigration and  
3 Customs Enforcement; or

4 (2) removed from the United States.

5 (e) COMPLIANCE.—

6 (1) The Secretary shall make available a pub-  
7 licly accessible and secure online form for any family  
8 member or legal representative of an individual in  
9 the custody of U.S. Customs and Border Protection  
10 or U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement to  
11 report, with respect to such individual, any missing,  
12 incorrect, or out-of-date information on the online  
13 detainee locator system developed under this section.

14 (2) Not later than 1 week after receiving a re-  
15 port submitted pursuant to subsection (e)(1), the  
16 Secretary shall—

17 (A) acknowledge receipt of such report;

18 and

19 (B) resolve such report.

20 (f) PENALTY.—

21 (1) IN GENERAL.—With respect to an employee  
22 that fails to comply with this section, the Director  
23 of Immigration and Customs Enforcement or the  
24 Commissioner of Customs and Border Protection  
25 shall investigate such failure, and as appropriate,

1       may, pursuant to subchapter II of chapter 75 of title  
2       5, United States Code—

3               (A) furlough such employee;

4               (B) reduce the pay or grade of such em-  
5       ployee; or

6               (C) suspend such employee for not more  
7       than 30 days.

8               (2) FURTHER INVESTIGATION.—After an inves-  
9       tigation pursuant to subsection (f)(1), the Director  
10      of Immigration and Customs Enforcement or the  
11      Commissioner of Customs and Border Protection  
12      shall refer such investigation to the Inspector Gen-  
13      eral of the Department of Homeland Security for  
14      further investigation.

15              (3) CONTRACTS.—The Secretary may not renew  
16      a contract for any facility or contractor that failed  
17      to provide timely or accurate data for the online de-  
18      tainee locator developed under this section.

19   **SEC. 3. U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION AND U.S.**  
20                   **IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT**  
21                   **DETAINEE MEDICAL CARE TRANSFER RE-**  
22                   **PORTING REQUIREMENTS.**

23              (a) IN GENERAL.—For any individual in the custody  
24      of U.S. Customs and Border Protection or U.S. Immigra-  
25      tion and Customs Enforcement who is transferred to a

1 facility or location to receive medical attention, the Sec-  
2 retary shall notify a family member and any legal rep-  
3 resentative of such individual not later than 5 hours after  
4 such transfer is initiated and provide the following infor-  
5 mation:

6 (1) The name, address, and telephone number  
7 of the facility or location to which such individual  
8 was transferred.

9 (2) The contact information for the relevant  
10 U.S. Customs and Border Protection or U.S. Immi-  
11 gration and Customs Enforcement office overseeing  
12 the—

13 (A) transfer of such individual; and

14 (B) medical attention being provided to  
15 such individual.

16 (3) The date and time such individual arrived  
17 at such facility or location.

18 (4) The symptoms, medical condition, or med-  
19 ical assessment that led U.S. Customs and Border  
20 Protection or U.S. Immigration and Customs En-  
21 forcement to transfer such individual to receive med-  
22 ical attention.

23 (5) Any information on the medical status or  
24 diagnosis of such individual at the time of such noti-  
25 fication, as provided by a medical provider at each

1 facility or location to and from which such individual  
2 was transferred.

3 (b) VISITATION ACCESS.—A family member or legal  
4 representative may not be denied or obstructed from vis-  
5 iting an individual described in subsection (a) unless such  
6 individual affirmatively declines such visit.

7 **SEC. 4. U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION ARREST**  
8 **REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.**

9 (a) ARREST REPORTING.—For any individual ar-  
10 rested by U.S. Customs and Border Protection, the Sec-  
11 retary of Homeland Security shall make publicly accessible  
12 on the stats and summaries webpage on the Department  
13 of Homeland Security website the following information:

14 (1) The location and date of the apprehension  
15 of such individual.

16 (2) The method of apprehension of such indi-  
17 vidual.

18 (3) Whether there was an administrative or ju-  
19 dicial warrant prior to the arrest of such individual.

20 (4) The country of birth of such individual.

21 (5) The name and address of the facility or lo-  
22 cation at which such individual is located following  
23 such arrest.

24 (6) The citizenship of such individual.

25 (b) CORRECTION OF ERRORS.—

1           (1) The Secretary shall make available a pub-  
2           licly accessible and secure online form for any family  
3           member or legal representative of an individual ar-  
4           rested by U.S. Customs and Border Protection to re-  
5           port any missing or incorrect information made ac-  
6           cessible under subsection (a).

7           (2) Not later than 1 week after receiving a re-  
8           port submitted pursuant to subsection (b)(1), the  
9           Secretary shall—

10                   (A) acknowledge receipt of such report;

11                   and

12                   (B) resolve such report.

13           (c) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after the date  
14 of enactment of this Act, and every 90 days thereafter,  
15 the Secretary shall review any U.S. Customs and Border  
16 Protection enforcement operation that is ongoing, or was  
17 active during the 90-day period prior to a review, and sub-  
18 mit a report to the Committee on Homeland Security of  
19 the House of Representatives and the Committee on  
20 Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the Sen-  
21 ate that includes, with respect to each such operation—

22                   (1) the number of U.S. Customs and Border  
23           Protection agents involved;

1           (2) the number and type of any non-U.S. Cus-  
2           toms and Border Protection agents or officers en-  
3           gaged in or supporting such operation;

4           (3) the location of such operation;

5           (4) the justification for such operation;

6           (5) the number of individuals arrested during  
7           such operation based on an administrative or judicial  
8           warrant;

9           (6) the number of warrantless arrests con-  
10          ducted during such operation;

11          (7) the number of such warrantless arrests  
12          made pursuant to section 287(a) of the Immigration  
13          and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1357);

14          (8) the number of people arrested during any  
15          protests;

16          (9) the number of U.S. citizens and non-citizens  
17          arrested during such operation;

18          (10) the monetary costs incurred by U.S. Cus-  
19          toms and Border Protection or any other agency or  
20          entity involved by such operation; and

21          (11) any contracts with public or private enti-  
22          ties involved in such operation.