

NEW CALIFORNIA STATE JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE AND ASSEMBLY

JR20-04

**CITIZEN & IMMIGRANT RELIEF – REMEDIATING THE COSTS AND BURDENS OF
CALIFORNIA’S ILLEGAL FOREIGN NATIONALS.**

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Legislative Background – Resolution JR20-04
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Illegal Foreign Nationals

The Constitution of the United States and the California State Constitution have no guarantee, obligation or provision for the aid of any type to illegal foreign nationals within our State who are not present by lawful immigration policies of the United States of America.

In 1792 President James Madison vetoed a Congressional Appropriation to assist refugees. He said, "I cannot undertake to lay my finger on that Article of the Constitution which granted a right to Congress of expending, on objects of benevolence, the money of their constituents."

The description "illegal foreign national" has been chosen not for "political correctness" which is a current effort to censor free speech and expression, but in order to fully include those who are within our borders without permission, whether by invasion, overstay or expired/invalid documentation. Although other legal terms have a long and established case-history, illegal foreign national appears the most inclusive of all the illegally present persons. In addition, New California chooses not to be embroiled in past controversy over terms, forging a path forward expressing original constitutional values.

Resolution JR20-04

CITIZENS & IMMIGRANT RELIEF – Remediation of the Costs and Burdens of California's Illegal Foreign Nationals

1. WHEREAS, the estimated annual monetary cost of illegal foreign nationals to California taxpayers in 2017 was between \$25.3 and \$30.3 billion annually, according to the Federation of American Immigration Reform (FAIR) and National Economics Editorial (NEE), 10%-17.7% of California's budget; and
2. WHEREAS, education costs for illegal foreign nationals and children born to illegal foreign nationals while in California are \$8.13 - \$15.63 billion annually, pushing California's student-teacher ratio 35% above the national average, negatively impacting the quality of education for children of our citizens, immigrants, and residents; and
3. WHEREAS, healthcare costs for illegal foreign nationals are \$4.02 billion annually, including \$388 million associated with 68,000 births to illegal foreign national mothers, decreasing quality of care by lowering physician-patient ratio, extending wait times and increasing lost productivity for our citizens, immigrants, and residents, plus undetermined costs of diverting funds from investment in better technology and more doctors; and
4. WHEREAS, SB104 makes California the first State in the nation to provide taxpayer-funded healthcare to approximately 90,000 illegal foreign nationals, ages 19-25, costing the California taxpayers an additional minimum of \$98 million annually; and
5. WHEREAS, the intangible costs include a resurgence of diseases brought by unscreened illegal foreign nationals including 57.8% of the cases of tuberculosis with an infectious rate 9.8 times as high as that among United States-born persons, (New England Journal of Medicine, 2009), typhus, pork tapeworm, which can lead to seizures, blindness, and death, and leprosy, all of which add risks to everyone's health, and a threat to national security as illnesses relatively unknown to here in recent history could potentially become weaponized, because the United States no longer has any antibiotic manufacturing or production facilities (nbcnews.com. 2020); and
6. WHEREAS, a heavy burden is placed on our health care system and providers by illegal foreign nationals, whose use of free medical care has degraded and closed some of our finest emergency facilities, causing 84 hospital bankruptcies in California (Journal of American Physicians and Surgeons, Spring 2005), and has threatened bankrupting of whole counties (Los Angeles Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich, New York Times, May 21, 2003) ; and
7. WHEREAS, California justice and law enforcement costs for illegal foreign nationals are more than \$4.4 billion annually for policing, court and incarceration, not including cost of damage to property and persons from this lawlessness, estimating costs of special damages at \$8.8 billion annually for lost productivity and wages, intangible costs such as pain and suffering, loss of companionship and comfort, and long-term social costs such as a reduction in community cohesion; and
8. WHEREAS, federal crime data proves and concludes illegal foreign nationals, a mere 3.5% of the population, are responsible for 74% of drug possession felonies, 20% of kidnapping or hostage-taking,

17% of drug trafficking, 12% of murders, and 12% of money laundering, figures excluding other violent and heinous crimes prosecuted at the state level, such as domestic violence, burglary, driving under the influence, sexual assault, rape, and non-federal murders; and

9. WHEREAS, general government services used by illegal foreign nationals cost more than \$4.795 billion annually (FAIR), including non-market services such as identification and licenses to drive, extending wait times for our citizens, legal immigrants, and residents; and

10. WHEREAS, public assistance, monetary benefits (i.e. welfare), and housing costs for illegal foreign nationals cost \$3.38 billion annually (FAIR), diverting such funds from our citizens, legal immigrants, and residents; and

11. WHEREAS, illegal foreign nationals deplete California's economy by remittance, sending from California to their home countries in excess of \$3.86 billion annually (2017) with no return; and

12. WHEREAS, acknowledging the intangible cost of illegal foreign nationals who vote, either permissively in San Francisco pursuant to the local legislation (2018) in contravention of State law, or fraudulently through improper, automatic registration of applicants by California Department of Motor Vehicles, whereby actual voter fraud occurs because they have no standing to vote, diluting the voice of legitimate citizen, immigrant, and resident voters, and undermining confidence in elections; and

13. WHEREAS, vote outcomes are effected by illegal foreign nationals who choose to commit voter fraud and are enticed to vote in favor of politicians and legislation preferential to and prioritizing themselves over the rightful interests of the people, state and country whose opportunities and benefits they enjoy and whose laws they abuse and flout; and

14. WHEREAS, California citizens have long desired California resources and benefits to be used only for our lawful citizens, as evidenced by as far back as 1994 Proposition 187, which passed with 59% of the vote; and

15. WHEREAS, California's governors and legislatures continue to pass legislation favoring illegal foreign nationals, including California SB 54, "California Values Act", aka "Sanctuary State Law", standardizing statewide non-cooperation policies between California law enforcement agencies and federal immigration authorities in favor of non-citizen illegal foreign nationals, and in open defiance of the will of the citizens of California, our United States Supreme Court, and our Congress's plenary power over immigration, as well as direct violation of Article IV, Section 4, of the Constitution of the United State, and established United States Law; and

16. WHEREAS, SB 54 "Sanctuary State Law" allows for preference and priority to illegal foreign nationals over those who are attempting to immigrate legally, and by endangering the lives of potential immigrants, luring masses of innocents and villains alike to crime-ridden, dangerous and even deadly border crossings where the costs include rape, sexual assault, and human trafficking of men, women and children; and

17. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, New California State shall welcome immigrants, those who lawfully

immigrate to enter these United States, and assist them toward becoming integrated citizens with shared values, culture, language, opportunities, and civic responsibilities as equal members of New California and The United States of America; and

18. BE IT RESOLVED, that New California State declares we shall not harbor illegal foreign nationals within our State, **those who are violating lawful immigration policies** of the United States of America (including, but not limited to, terms such as **illegals, illegal aliens, illegal immigrants, deportable immigrants, deportable aliens, undocumented person, persons addressed by Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals, various terms added here referentially for posterity to lookup more easily**); and

19. BE IT RESOLVED, New California State prohibits our resources, including but not limited to providing identification, licenses to drive, money, social, educational, medical, housing, or any other economic benefits, to be spent or allocated or afforded to illegal foreign nationals and only authorizes these benefits to the citizens of these United States of America and those who lawfully reside in New California State; and

20. BE IT RESOLVED, New California State promotes cooperation with all inter- and intrastate and federal agencies to locate, obtain, prosecute, apply justice and remove to their country of jurisdiction or origin illegal foreign nationals; and

21. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, we as the citizens of New California State pray that the President of these United States of America exercise his authority under the Insurrection Act of 1807 to end the tyranny being foisted upon United States citizens living in California.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED

ADOPTED this ___ day of _____, 2020.

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NO: _____

ABSTAIN: _____

Robert Righetti, Riverside County
Senate President Pro Tempore

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Assembly Speaker Pro Tempore