SUPPORT H.R. 2662 - DEFUND THE “REMAIN IN MEXICO” POLICY

SEND POSTCARDS TO:

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Thank them for introducing and co-sponsoring this bill.

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Urge him to become a co-sponsor of this bill.

On May 10, 2019, Representative Veronica Escobar (TX-16) introduced H.R. 2662, the Asylum Seeker Protection Act. The legislation aims to remove funds from implementation of the Migrant Protection Protocols (MPP) policy, known as ‘Remain in Mexico.’ This Trump administration policy sends asylum seekers into dangerous conditions in Mexico to await their asylum hearing. During that time, they don’t have access to US lawyers to help them understand their case, they don’t have safe secure places to live, and they don’t have access to medical treatment. Despite the challenges of an increasing number of migrants at the southern border, the US response should uphold due process and never include cruelty. The Asylum Seeker Protection Act would put an end to this policy that purposely endangers lives. This legislation is endorsed by the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU), the Hope Border Institute, Kids in Need of Defense (KIND), the Southern Border Communities Coalition, the Latin America Working Group, and the Washington Office on Latin America (WOLA).

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