

118TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 7826

To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 with respect to certain grants authorized for Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 26, 2024

Mr. SCHIFF (for himself, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. RUIZ, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Ms. SALINAS, Ms. TITUS, and Ms. BROWNLEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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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 “Tribal Community
5 Protection Act of 2024”.

1 **SEC. 2. GRANTS AUTHORIZED FOR EDWARD BYRNE MEMO-**
2 **RIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM.**

3 Section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe
4 Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10152) is amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) in subsection (a)(1), by adding at the end
7 the following:

8 “(J) Programs to provide written notifica-
9 tion on any restraining order or temporary re-
10 straining order for the purpose of enforcement
11 on tribal lands and enforcement of any such
12 order issued by an Indian tribe.”; and

13 (2) by adding at the end the following:

14 “(i) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

15 “(1) TRIBAL LANDS.—The term ‘tribal lands’
16 means lands the title to which is held by the United
17 States in trust for an Indian tribe or lands the title
18 to which is held by an Indian tribe subject to a re-
19 striction by the United States against alienation.

20 “(2) INDIAN TRIBE.—The term ‘Indian tribe’
21 shall have the meaning given such term in section
22 102 of the Federally Recognized Indian Tribe List
23 Act of 1994.

24 “(3) WRITTEN NOTIFICATION.—The term ‘writ-
25 ten notification’ means a notification that is sent by
26 registered or certified mail, with return receipt re-

1 quested, to Indian tribes and for which a copy of
2 such notification is sent to the appropriate Regional
3 Director of the Bureau of Indian Affairs.”.

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