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114TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

To provide that certain Cuban entrants are ineligible to receive refugee assistance, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. CURBELO of Florida introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

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 “Cuban Immigrant
5 Work Opportunity Act of 2015”.

1 **SEC. 2. CERTAIN CUBANS ENTRANTS INELIGIBLE FOR REF-**
2 **UGEE ASSISTANCE.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Title V of the Refugee Education
4 Assistance Act of 1980 (8 U.S.C. 1522 note) is amend-
5 ed—

6 (1) in the heading by striking “**CUBAN**
7 **AND**”;

8 (2) Section 501—

9 (A) by striking “Cuban and” each place it
10 appears; and

11 (B) in subsection (e)—

12 (i) in paragraph (1)—

13 (I) by striking “Cuban/”; and

14 (II) by striking “Cuba or”; and

15 (ii) in paragraph (2), by striking
16 “Cuba or”.

17 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—

18 (1) PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY AND WORK OP-
19 PORTUNITY RECONCILIATION ACT OF 1996.—Title IV
20 of the Personal Responsibility and Work Oppor-
21 tunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (8 U.S.C. 1601 et
22 seq.) is amended by striking “Cuban and Haitian
23 entrant” each place it appears and inserting “Hai-
24 tian entrant”.

25 (2) IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT.—Sec-
26 tion 245A(h)(2)(A) of the Immigration and Nation-

1 ality Act (8 U.S.C. 1255a(h)(2)(A)) is amended by
2 striking “Cuban and Haitian entrant” each place it
3 appears and inserting “Haitian entrant”.

4 (c) APPLICABILITY.—The amendments made by this
5 section shall apply only in the case of a national of Cuba
6 who enters the United States on or after the date of the
7 enactment of this Act.

8 **SEC. 3. REPORT.**

9 Not later than 90 days after the date of the enact-
10 ment of this Act, the Inspector General of the Social Secu-
11 rity Administration shall submit to Congress a report
12 which describes the methods by which the requirement
13 under section 416.215 of title 20, Code of Federal Regula-
14 tions, is enforced.