

110TH CONGRESS
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S. 1442

To authorize the Secretary of Homeland Security to establish new units of Customs Patrol Officers.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 21, 2007

Mr. THOMAS introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

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 “Shadow Wolves Appre-
5 hension and Tracking Act of 2007”.

6 **SEC. 2. CUSTOMS PATROL OFFICERS.**

7 (a) PURPOSE.—The purpose of this section is to au-
8 thorize the Secretary of Homeland Security, acting
9 through the Assistant Secretary of Immigration and Cus-
10 toms Enforcement (referred to in this section as the “Sec-

1 retary”), to establish new units of Customs Patrol Officers
2 (commonly known as “Shadow Wolves”) during the 5-year
3 period beginning on the date of enactment of this Act.

4 (b) ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW UNITS.—

5 (1) IN GENERAL.—During the 5-year period be-
6 ginning on the date of enactment of this Act, the
7 Secretary is authorized to establish within United
8 States Immigration and Customs Enforcement up to
9 5 additional units of Customs Patrol Officers in ac-
10 cordance with this section, as appropriate.

11 (2) MEMBERSHIP.—Each new unit established
12 pursuant to paragraph (1) shall consist of up to 15
13 Customs Patrol Officers.

14 (c) DUTIES.—The additional Immigration and Cus-
15 toms Enforcement units established pursuant to sub-
16 section (b)(1) shall operate on Indian reservations (as de-
17 fined in section 3 of the Indian Financing Act of 1974
18 (25 U.S.C. 1452)) located on or near (as determined by
19 the Secretary) an international border with Canada or
20 Mexico, and such other Federal land as the Secretary de-
21 termines to be appropriate, by—

22 (1) investigating and preventing the entry of
23 terrorists, other unlawful aliens, instruments of ter-
24 rorism, narcotics, and other contraband into the
25 United States; and

1 (2) carrying out such other duties as the Sec-
2 retary determines to be necessary.

3 (d) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There
4 are authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section
5 such sums as are necessary for each of fiscal years 2008
6 through 2013.

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