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Senate Majority Leader Jim Boyd Praises Swift Legislative Action to Protect Florida Communities from Criminal Illegal Immigrants
Florida Senate Republicans Stand with President Trump in the Fight Against Illegal Immigration

Tallahassee –Senate Majority Leader Jim Boyd (R-Bradenton) issued the following statement supporting the Senate passage of Senate Bills 2C and 4C and Senate Memorial 6C by Senator Joe Gruters (R-Sarasota) and Senator Randy Fine (R-Melbourne Beach). This comprehensive legislative package is designed to assist the Trump Administration with the enforcement of federal immigration law.

"The Senate Republican Caucus is proud to support the strongest crackdown on illegal immigration in the nation right here in Florida. We are grateful for the conservative leadership of Senate President Ben Albritton and our strong partnerships with the Trump Administration, Governor Ron DeSantis, Commissioner Wilton Simpson, House Speaker Danny Perez, and local law enforcement leaders.

"President Donald Trump has called on the federal government to secure the borders of the United States. Senate Republicans answered that call with historic funding for state and local law enforcement to assist ICE efforts to arrest, detain, and deport criminal illegal immigrants.

"Florida is leading the nation in immigration enforcement with enhanced training and support for law enforcement, instituting strong penalties for criminal illegal immigrants, and ensuring essential collaboration between federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies.

"The protection and safety of our communities is a top priority. The swift detention and deportation of unauthorized aliens who violate Florida laws will help keep criminals off the street and advance President Trump's mandates to secure our borders."

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