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**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1817
OFFERED BY MR. COX OF CALIFORNIA**

Page 7, after line 6, insert the following (and amend the table of contents accordingly):

1 **SEC. 109. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR**
2 **TRAINING OF STATE AND LOCAL PERSONNEL**
3 **PERFORMING IMMIGRATION FUNCTIONS.**

4 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—To carry out subsection (b), from
5 amounts authorized under section 101, there are author-
6 ized to be appropriated \$40,000,000 for fiscal year 2006,
7 to remain available until September 30, 2007.

8 (b) **USE OF FUNDS.**—From amounts made available
9 under subsection (a), the Secretary of Homeland Security
10 may reimburse a State or political subdivision for the ex-
11 penses described in subsection (d).

12 (c) **ELIGIBLE RECIPIENTS.**—A State, or a political
13 subdivision of a State, is eligible for reimbursement under
14 subsection (b) if the State or political subdivision—

15 (1) has entered into a written agreement de-
16 scribed in section 287(g) of the Immigration and
17 Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1357(g)) under which cer-
18 tain officers or employees of the State or subdivision



1 may be authorized to perform certain functions of
2 an immigration officer; and

3 (2) desires such officers or employees to receive
4 training from the Department of Homeland Security
5 in relation to such functions.

6 (d) EXPENSES.—The expenses described in this sub-
7 section are actual and necessary expenses incurred by the
8 State or political subdivision in order to permit the train-
9 ing described in subsection (c)(2) to take place, including
10 expenses such as the following:

11 (1) Costs of travel and transportation to loca-
12 tions where training is provided, including mileage
13 and related allowances for the use of a privately
14 owned automobile.

15 (2) Subsistence consisting of lodging, meals,
16 and other necessary expenses for the personal suste-
17 nance and comfort of a person required to travel
18 away from the person's regular post of duty in order
19 to participate in the training.

20 (3) A per diem allowance paid instead of actual
21 expenses for subsistence and fees or tips to porters
22 and stewards.

23 (4) Costs of securing temporary replacements
24 for personnel traveling to, and participating in, the
25 training.

