

2nd Revised #68

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2410, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. CUELLAR OF TEXAS**

At the end of subtitle A of title XI, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 11___ . ADJUDICATION OF PASSPORTS TO CERTAIN**
2 **CITIZENS.**

3 The Secretary of State, in the issuance and adjudica-
4 tion of passports to United States citizens in cases involv-
5 ing birth certificates registered by a midwife, shall—

6 (1) not apply standards for proof of citizenship
7 that vary based on race or ethnicity;

8 (2) report to the appropriate congressional com-
9 mittees and to the congressional delegations of
10 States along the northern and southern international
11 borders of the United States on the acceptable docu-
12 ments required for proving United States citizenship
13 for a United States passport or passport card when
14 the applicant's citizenship is registered by a midwife;
15 and

16 (3) inform applicants in writing of what docu-
17 ments they must provide to meet their burden of

1 proving citizenship in cases in which a birth certifi-
2 cate is insufficient due to the midwife certification.

