

## House Concurrent Resolution No. 5035

By Committee on Taxation

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9 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the Congress of the United  
10 States to pass legislation that provides for the forfeiture of tax credits,  
11 deductions and exemptions for employers that employ unauthorized  
12 aliens.

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14 WHEREAS, Recent government and academic estimates indicate that  
15 there are between 10 million and 13 million unauthorized aliens currently  
16 living in the United States; and

17 WHEREAS, States have been left with the burden of providing so-  
18 lutions for the myriad of problems arising from the presence of such large  
19 numbers of unauthorized aliens; and

20 WHEREAS, States expend billions of dollars on the provision of  
21 health, education and social services to immigrants, including unauthor-  
22 ized aliens, as well as expenditures related to the many law enforcement  
23 issues raised by the influx of unauthorized aliens; and

24 WHEREAS, Many employers benefit from the utilization of immi-  
25 grants, including unauthorized aliens, in their business operation through  
26 inexpensive labor costs of employment of such individuals; and

27 WHEREAS, Employers are allowed or granted over three billion dol-  
28 lars in tax credits, deductions and exemptions under Kansas law, and  
29 countless billions across all 50 states; and

30 WHEREAS, The connection between employers adhering to state and  
31 federal law with regard to the employment of unauthorized aliens and  
32 the privilege of benefiting from income tax credits and deductions and  
33 sales, property and severance tax exemptions and exemptions from any  
34 other tax imposed by law is entirely appropriate and the loss of these tax  
35 advantages under circumstances in which employers have violated the  
36 law in this critical area would serve as a viable, effective and reasonable  
37 solution to this problem: Now, therefore,

38 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas,*  
39 *the Senate concurring therein:* That we urge the Congress of the United  
40 States to pass legislation that provides for the forfeiture of tax credits,  
41 deductions and exemptions for employers that employ unauthorized ali-  
42 ens; and

43 *Be it further resolved:* That the Secretary of State provide enrolled

1 copies of this concurrent resolution to the President of the United States,  
2 the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United  
3 States House of Representatives and each member of the Kansas Con-  
4 gressional Delegation.