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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1913
OFFERED BY MR. KING OF IOWA

Page 13, after line 14 insert the following:

“(3) OFFENSES COMMITTED BY ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS AGAINST NATIONALS OF THE UNITED STATES. – Any alien, whether or not acting under color of law, who while unlawfully present in the United States willfully causes bodily injury to any U.S. national (as defined in section 101(a)(22) of the Immigration and Nationality Act) or, through the use of fire, a firearm, or an explosive or incendiary device, attempts to cause bodily injury to a U.S. national, because of the U.S. national’s status as a U.S. national or U.S. citizen –

“(A) shall be imprisoned not more than 10 years, fined in accordance with this title, or both; and

“(B) shall be imprisoned for any term of years or for life, fined in accordance with this title, or both, if –

“(i) death results from the offense; or

“(ii) the offense includes kidnapping or an attempt to kidnap, aggravated sexual abuse or an attempt to commit aggravated sexual abuse, or an attempt to kill.

Defeated by Roll Call Vote: Ayes = 11 Nays = 14