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287(g) Overview:

The U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) 287(g) Program enhances the safety and security of communities by creating partnerships with state and local law enforcement agencies to identify and remove illegal aliens from the United States.

Section 287(g) of the Immigration and Nationality Act authorizes the Director of ICE to enter into agreements with state and local law enforcement agencies to designate officers to perform certain immigration law enforcement functions. State and local officers who partner with ICE receive training and function under the supervision of ICE officers.

The mutually beneficial agreements allow state and local law enforcement to act as a force multiplier in the identification, arrest, and service of warrants and detainers on foreign-born individuals arrested on local criminal charges.

Individuals deemed amenable to removal are identified while in state or local custody and then transferred to ICE custody in a

secure law enforcement facility. Without a cooperative agreement, state and local law enforcement may not be aware of an inmate's unlawful immigration status and may release the individual back into the community. ICE may then only locate the individual via an at-large enforcement operation or after the individual is arrested by local law enforcement for a subsequent crime.

Federal, state, and local law enforcement working together creates efficiency while providing a tremendous benefit to public safety.

The 287(g) Program continues to receive overwhelmingly positive feedback from its partners. Law enforcement agencies interested in becoming a partner under the 287(g) Program should send an inquiry to their local ICE ERO Field Office at <https://www.ice.gov/contact/ero>.

The cases that follow are a sampling of criminal aliens recently identified by state or local law enforcement operating under the 287(g) Program. Each of these individuals will be processed for removal by ICE in accordance with federal law.

Arizona

On July 8, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the Arizona Department of Corrections, Rehabilitation and Reentry 287(g) Program encountered a citizen of Mexico convicted of attempt to commit sexual conduct with minor sentenced to five (5) years imprisonment and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on the subject. Subject last entered the United States as a non-immigrant visitor and remained in the United States beyond the authorized time period.

On July 10, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the Arizona Department of

Corrections, Rehabilitation and Reentry 287(g) Program encountered a citizen of Mexico convicted of molestation of child, sexual abuse, and attempt to commit sexual conduct with minor sentenced to seventeen (17) years imprisonment and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on the subject. Subject last entered the United States as Lawful Permanent Resident.

On July 28, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the Arizona Department of Corrections Rehabilitation and Reentry 287(g) Program encountered is a citizen of Mexico convicted of trafficking in methamphetamine sentenced to sixteen (16) years imprisonment and placed an immigration detainer and

warrant on the subject. The subject last entered the United States without inspection.

On July 29, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the Arizona Department of Corrections Rehabilitation and Reentry 287(g) Program encountered a citizen of Mexico convicted of murder 1st degree-during crime, child/vulnerable adult abuse/intentional (four counts), and kidnap-death/injury/sex/aid felony sentenced to life and fifty-seven (57) years imprisonment and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on the subject. The subject last entered the United States without inspection.

Florida

On July 19, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office 287(g) Program encountered a citizen of Cuba arrested for felony failure of transient to report to sheriff's office every thirty (30) days (sex offender) and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on the subject. The Subject has prior convictions for sexual battery, armed robbery, attempted 1st degree murder, kidnapping, and battery on a law enforcement officer for which he was sentenced to ninety (90) years in prison. The subject last entered the United States as a Refugee and has a final order of removal. The subject will be taken into custody pending third country removal authorization.

On July 31, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office Florida 287(g) Program encountered a citizen of Mexico convicted of sexual battery and child abuse – impregnating a child under the age of 12 sentenced to life in prison and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on the subject. The subject last entered the United States without inspection after having been ordered removed.

Georgia

On July 18, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from Georgia Department of Corrections 287(g) Program encountered a citizen of Mexico convicted of child molestation and sentenced to twenty (20) years with the first fifteen (15) years to be served in confinement and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on the subject. The subject last entered the United States without inspection.

On July 25, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the Hall County Sheriff's Office 287(g) Program encountered a citizen of Honduras arrested for possession of methamphetamine, probation violation and possession and use of drug related objects prohibited and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on the subject. The subject has prior convictions for synthetic cannabinoid and battery – family violence act. The subject last adjusted status to the of a Lawful Permanent Resident.

Massachusetts

On July 7, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the Massachusetts Department of Correction 287(g) Program encountered a citizen of El Salvador convicted of rape of child and indecent assault and battery on a child sentenced to six (6) to eight (8) years imprisonment and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on the subject. The subject last entered the United States without inspection.

South Carolina

On July 4, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the York County Sheriff's Office 287(g) Program encountered a citizen of Honduras arrested for criminal domestic violence, 2nd degree and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on

the subject. The subject has a previous conviction for criminal domestic violence. The subject last entered the United States without inspection.

Oklahoma

On July 04, 2025, a Designated Immigration Officer from the Tulsa County Sheriff's Office

287(g) Program encountered a citizen of Mexico arrested for carrying or possessing firearm by illegal alien, use of firearm while committing a felony, trafficking in fentanyl 1 gram or more and placed an immigration detainer and warrant on the subject. The subject also has convictions for possession of a controlled substance. The subject last entered the United States without inspection.