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KATIE HOBBS
GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE OFFICE

June 19, 2026

The Honorable Warren Petersen
President of the Senate
Arizona State Senate
1700 W. Washington Street
Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: SB1055 arrestees; unlawfully present; reporting

President Petersen,

Today I vetoed SB1055. Existing law already allows law enforcement officers to contact immigration enforcement when reasonable suspicion exists regarding a person's immigration status. It also gives officers the discretion necessary to prioritize ongoing investigations. We should not tell law enforcement how to do their job and impose burdensome mandates on their day-to-day activities. This could lead to strained resources, an increased workload, and divert their attention from their primary mission of maintaining public safety within their communities.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Katie Hobbs", with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Katie Hobbs
Governor
State of Arizona

cc:
The Honorable Steve Montenegro
The Honorable Wendy Rogers
The Honorable Adrian Fontes