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Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to restrict the requirement of citizenship at birth by virtue of birth in the United States to persons with citizen or legal resident mothers.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 26, 1995

Mr. GALLEGLY introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

JOINT RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled (two-*
3 *thirds of each House concurring therein), That the follow-*
4 *ing article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitu-*
5 *tion of the United States, which shall be valid to all intents*
6 *and purposes as part of the Constitution when ratified by*
7 *the legislatures of three-fourths of the several States with-*

1 in seven years after the date of its submission for ratifica-
2 tion:

3 “ARTICLE —

4 “SECTION 1. All persons born in the United States,
5 and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, of mothers who are
6 citizens or legal residents of the United States and all per-
7 sons naturalized in the United States are citizens of the
8 United States and of the State wherein they reside. The
9 first sentence of section 1 of the fourteenth article of
10 amendment to the Constitution of the United States is
11 hereby repealed.

12 “SECTION 2. The Congress shall have power to en-
13 force this article by appropriate legislation.

14 “SECTION 3. This article shall apply to persons born
15 after the date of its ratification.”.

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