



NEW Immigration Reporting Requirements

Specific to HB 1105, passed in 2024, there are four new reporting requirements. Below is a description of the reporting requirement and the types of entities that may be impacted by the new provisions.

HB 1105 includes several key provisions related to immigration enforcement. Section 5 (O.C.G.A. 35-1-17) requires state and local agencies to promote compliance with laws deterring criminal illegal aliens, seek agreements with federal agencies, and be authorized to transport illegal aliens under a detainer notice.

Section 7 (O.C.G.A. 42-1-11.4) mandates the Department of Corrections to publish a quarterly report on inmate immigration status, with the first report due on October 1, 2024.

Section 8 (O.C.G.A. 42-1-11.5) requires custodial authorities to comply with immigration detainer notices and inform affected individuals.

Section 9 (O.C.G.A. 42-4-14) directs custodial authorities to verify the immigration status of individuals admitted to county jails.

Entities impacted by these provisions include all Sheriffs' Offices, law enforcement agencies with jails or detention centers, state agencies, cities, counties, authorities, school districts, colleges, universities, technical colleges, and the Department of Corrections.

For the 2024 reporting year, three key updates have been made to the Immigration and Reform Act Collection System. You can access our collection system at www.audits.ga.gov/auth/login.

- A new section was added to incorporate House Bill 1105 reporting requirements.
- The sanctuary policies report was revised for clarity.
- The system design was updated with a new look and improved functionality.

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