

## BORRIS L. MILES STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 13

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## Senator Borris L. Miles Statement on SB 147

AUSTIN - Today, Texas State Senator Borris L. Miles released the following statement on Senate Bill 147.

"Texas' growth and prosperity is fueled by its diversity and immigrants pursuing the American dream in our great state. SB 147 would target foreign citizens who are here legally and may even be in the process of becoming American citizens. This bill would prevent those legal residents from buying a home or property to start a small business. It also creates a slippery slope which could lead to more people from different countries, different religions or different races being banned from owning property in the future based on the political whims of the time. SB 147 is fundamentally un-American and I will be fighting its passage in the Senate."

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