

**JOINT DECLARATION OF INTENT BETWEEN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF  
HOMELAND SECURITY, U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS  
ENFORCEMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF FEDERAL HIGHWAY  
POLICE OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL.**

1. The Director General of the Federative Republic of Brazil Department of Federal Highway Police (PRF), Maria Alice Nascimento Souza, and U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), Director Sarah R. Saldaña, announce their intention to establish a partnership to strengthen the relationship between the two law enforcement agencies in order to be more efficient in carrying out their institutional authorities by means of mutual support to combat criminal offenses.
2. PRF and ICE endeavor to enhance cooperation through the sharing and development of best practices and advanced law enforcement techniques, and to facilitate as appropriate training opportunities and technical assistance related to the enforcement of laws under their respective authorities.
3. Leading the efforts outlined above in this statement, the PRF and ICE, the undersigned, recognize the value of enhanced collaboration to further the above objectives.

Signed, in duplicate, in Portuguese and English in Washington, D.C., on June 19, 2015 and in Brasilia, D.F. on June 26, 2015.

  
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