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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about quotas for immigration courts. These courts have been slowly transformed into a separate and unequal court system with only the Draconian punitive option of deportation. Since the 1980's the number of people threatened by this system has ballooned to more than ten million and its operation has been left largely to the executive branch with little court or congressional oversight and few constitutional protections. The results have included capricious and illegal enforcement leaving people under constant threat as well as long court backlogs. Clearly the best approach would be legislation providing citizenship to the vast majority of our residents. Pressing these courts to decide cases more quickly by adding quotas without changing the legal matters involved as Attorney General Sessions has just suggested will only create an even more arbitrary situation and further weaken our country.

Please assure me that you will oppose judicial quotas.

I am very proud to be a US resident and a large part of that derives from our rule of law.

Sincerely, Eric Babson