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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about chaos.

The supreme court has just allowed a change in status for a third of a million people now protected from deportation. This is the latest ruling in a desperate string of emergency appeals by Secretary Noem to arbitrarily upturn the lives of large numbers of people. It is hard to see any justification outside puerile sadism and administration arguments such as Solicitor General Sauer's: 'not equivalent to final removal' do nothing to dispel this impression. Like Secretary Rubio's monthlong spree of arbitrarily altering the visa status of hundreds of students people are forced to shut down life plans without warning. Life creates enough difficulties without your assistance.

Please assure me that you will provide immigration stability.

My pride in the US derives in part from government predictability (death and taxes...).

Sincerely, Eric Babson