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Dear Senator Harris:

I am concerned about extrajudicial expulsions. Our country has become very stratified both by wealth and more insidiously by legal categories. The immigration service has become an enforcer of lower class status. I am happy to see you pushing to reestablish DACA, trying to keep these records from ICE and working to open immigration prisons some of many ways my government is terrorizing recent arrivals. This week Secretary Nielsen alone decided to expel 200000 Salvadorans following Acting Secretary Duke's similar action toward Haitians and Nicaraguans. This two tier system is immoral and very damaging to our society. The repulsive attitude that expulsion of young people is a good bargaining point must not be catered to. Immigrants have been left at the whim of the executive branch for too long.

Please work toward legal and legislative recourse for immigrants.

I am very proud to be a US citizen and a large part of that derives from our egalitarian society.

s Sincerely, Eric Babson