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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about nationalism. Some people in your administration are attempting to reduce immigration. Immigration is an important aspect of this country bringing in new ideas, abilities and viewpoints from around the world to mix with those already here and has enabled us to create the worlds most productive society. Your attempts to turn people against immigrants are both dishonest and immoral. Most recently the Justice Department and Department of Homeland Security released a bizarre report on terrorism in response to one of your blocked orders. This report essentially documents that people extradited to the US from abroad tend to be from abroad and yet it was immediately cited by you and then Attorney General Sessions as evidence that immigration is dangerous. In fact I have a better chance of having my life saved than taken by an immigrant.

Please assure me that you will encourage immigration.

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

Sincerely,
Eric Babson