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Dear Governor Brown:

I am concerned about profiling. Immigration and Customs Enforcement agents appear to be illegally using racial profiling and stopping people without reasonable suspicion of any crime. This criminal activity by ICE agents seems likely to be either the result of little oversight or else pressure to meet quotas rather than follow the law. Lawsuits have been filed against agents in Virginia and New Mexico and those illegally detained who have lawyers are arguing in immigration courts for dismissals. There are also many stories of ICE agents acting completely arbitrarily such as this past weekend at a circle-K in Atwater where agents reportedly stopped a group of four people, demanded documents, arrested three and deported two. These profiling crimes should be prosecuted and everyone should have access to lawyers.

Please assure me that you will stop illegal ICE profiling in California.

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

Sincerely,
Eric Babson