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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned for immigrants. The DACA program has allowed nearly a million people to build productive lives and contribute to the United States. Over the past year these lives have been turned into a political football. Your comments suggest this attitude by calling your vicious termination of the program a challenge to congress, treating discussions of a legislative solution as a negotiation chit and this weekend your tweet claiming opposition to any solution as way to get back at Democrats. The courts have so far kept your melodramatics from implementation but the constant threat of deportation is obviously disruptive. Threatening those least able to defend themselves debases the United States.

Please assure me that you will reinstate DACA.

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

Sincerely, Eric Babson