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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about incompetence. I am shocked by the situation with confiscated children. First there is the lack of empathy required to even consider such a policy - suggesting a need for more safeguards against such monstrosities in the future. Second there is the complete lack of foresight required to go ahead with no planning or preparation - suggesting a need for more leadership with a point person in charge of any policy change. Third there is a failure to correct course with either empathy or planning even after the policy was reversed and a court had ordered rapid corrections - suggesting a complete disconnect between leadership and either any intention of following the law or any control at all of their agency. The combination of a large government with immoral, incompetent and disconnected leadership is terrifying.

 $Please\ assure\ me\ that\ you\ will\ appoint\ competent\ and\ moral\ department\ heads.$

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

Sincerely, Eric Babson