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Dear Senator Feinstein:

I am concerned about executive immigration power. Around immigration Congress has passed very little guidance, courts have ceded near plenary power to the President and even the adjudication system is housed within the Justice Department. Major policy moves such as DACA under President Obama and a slew of vicious attacks over the past four years have seen lengthy litigation and split decisions which frequently leave people's lives in limbo. Yesterday there was another 2-1 appellate decision citing a 5-4 supreme court decision regarding a sweeping reinterpretation of the archaic and cryptic public charge clause to deny immigration to those without health insurance possibly affecting to a million cases every three years.

Please assure me that you will advance immigration reform.

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

Sincerely, Eric Babson