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To: Senate Committee on Business and Transportation

Subject: SB833

This Senate Bill allows a 'short term' driver license to be issued to a person who does not provide proof of legal presence in the United States. I, as a citizen, am adamantly opposed to this bill. Proof of citizenship, or legal status as a visitor to this nation, should not be a difficult thing to provide. Citizens have birth certificates, social security cards, myriad other forms of proof. A legal visitor to this nation has a passport and visa. This is not rocket science. I can't imagine anyone leaving their house without appropriate ID, nor going to a state agency to process any type of business without it.

When I travel to foreign countries, I expect to abide by their laws and be held accountable if I do not.

I expect my government to enforce our laws regarding foreign national visitors and immigrants. If someone is here illegally, then I expect them to be taken into custody and deported.

If my government is going to give special rights to people who are here illegally, then I have a question for you:

**What law can I break, and get special benefits for doing so?**

Please vote no on SB833.

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