

Support the SOLVE Act to rescind Trump's entry ban

Donald Trump's Executive Order to block nationals from seven countries from entering the U.S. is undermining national security, punishing American families, and damaging U.S. economic and foreign policy interests.

*Congress must pass **H.R. 724 - the State Of Liberty Values Act (the SOLVE Act)**. This legislation, sponsored by over 150 Representatives, is simple: it would rescind and defund Trump's Executive Order.*

Pass the SOLVE Act to protect national security

- **The order makes America less safe by diverting resources away from the real threats and instead arbitrarily cracks down on our loved ones.**
- **This ban will not stop any terrorists. None of the 9/11 hijackers would have been affected by this ban. Neither would the San Bernardino attackers or the Orlando nightclub gunman. September 11th was staged by 15 Saudi, 2 UAE, 1 Egyptian, and 1 Lebanese terrorist. San Bernardino was conducted by 1 Pakistani American and 1 Pakistani who was radicalized in Saudi Arabia. The Orlando nightclub attack was committed by 1 Afghan American.**
- **Not a single person has been killed in the U.S. by a terrorist attack committed by people from the countries subjected to Trump's ban.**
- **This action is a propaganda victory for extremist groups like ISIS who are already using it as a recruiting tool against the U.S. and to attempt to radicalize Americans inside the country.**

Pass the SOLVE Act to protect American families and U.S. economic interests

- **The ban makes America less competitive. It "disrupts ongoing business operations" according to nearly 100 tech companies - including Apple, Google, Facebook, Microsoft and Twitter - that filed a brief opposing the ban. The companies say the ban "makes it more difficult and expensive for U.S. companies to recruit, hire, and retain some of the world's best employees."**
- **U.S. colleges, businesses and families are left in limbo as the courts decide whether Trump's ban is lawful and Constitutional. Even with a court-ordered**

pause on the ban, there is little assurance that students can return to their programs, employees can conduct any travel, or family members will be able to visit their loved ones.

- **Without Congressional action, uncertainty will prevail at our border.** There are numerous cases of visa-holders still encountering major obstacles to returning to the country. Even green card holders and non-U.S. dual nationals have little information as to their status as the administration gives contradictory information and directives.
- **Iranian Americans are particularly impacted by this ban on their loved ones.** *48% of the visas issued to the 7 targeted countries go to Iranians (42,542).*

Pass the SOLVE Act to protect U.S. foreign policy interests

- **This ban is giving hardliners in Iran the upper hand against those who support engagement with the U.S.** The result could be a hardliner winning the presidency in May and, with a hardliner in Iran and in the U.S., a war will be far more likely.
- **The ban is destroying the goodwill of the Iranian people towards America.** Iranians are one of the only populations in the region who have positive views of the United States. After 9/11, Iranians held vigils in solidarity with America. Iranians want to buy American goods and study in American schools.

