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Coalition of Nation’s Top Employers: Hanen Decision On DACA Makes Clear Why Congress Must Act To Protect Dreamers

Urges Swift Action on a Permanent Legislative Solution for DACA Recipients

WASHINGTON D.C. – The Coalition for the American Dream, which comprises more than 100 of the nation’s top businesses and trade associations representing every major sector of the economy and millions of U.S. workers, today issued the following statement regarding Judge Andrew Hanen’s ruling in the Southern District of Texas on the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program:

“Today’s ruling only reinforces the critical message that Congress must act.

“We have seen time and again that the overwhelming majority of the American public of all political backgrounds agrees that we should protect Dreamers.

“DACA recipients have been critical members of our workforce, industries, and communities for years now. Their work and commitment to our companies, their families and communities are critical to our nation’s strength, especially since there are tens of thousands of DACA recipients working as front line doctors and nurses and in other critical industries fighting COVID-19.”

The Coalition for the American Dream includes more than 100 of the nation’s top businesses and trade associations and nearly every sector of the U.S. economy. For more information, please visit: <https://www.coalitionfortheamericandream.us/>

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