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In a resounding victory for DACA recipients, their families and communities, and for all those who support justice and equality, on June 18, 2020 the United States Supreme Court held that the Trump administration violated the law when it rescinded DACA in an arbitrary and capricious manner. The Court held that the administration did not consider the wide-ranging reliance on DACA by individuals, institutions and employers. It noted the significant societal contributions by DACA holders, including their significant economic contributions. The Court also held that the administration's explanations to the Court for its policy decision to end DACA were insufficient, erroneous and amounted to "after the fact" rationalizations. The persistent and courageous organizing by immigrants made this result possible. Now we must all work to enact a permanent solution through a Dream Act and comprehensive immigration reform. In the next few days we will be reviewing the legal documents more closely and will provide advice on the submission of first time new DACA applications and Advance Parole.

The UC Immigrant Legal Services Center encourages students to contact us for services continuing updates.