The Supreme Court's Travel Ban Off-Ramp

News

A Ninth Circuit ruling on President Trump's "travel ban" case offers the U.S. Supreme Court a clever way to reject the ban without limiting government power over immigration, writes Garrett Epps for *The Atlantic*.

Tree Trimming Firm Pays Biggest Fine in U.S. Immigration Case

News

A tree trimming company has been handed the largest penalty imposed in a United States immigration case, totaling $95 million, after pleading guilty to employing illegal immigrants, Reuters reports.

How Supreme Court Justices Could Avoid Issuing a Verdict

on Trump’s Travel Ban

News

Getting rid of the case would allow the justices to avoid second-guessing the president on a matter of national security or endorsing an especially controversial part of Trump’s agenda, the AP reports.

CEOs See a ‘Sad Day’ After Trump’s DACA Decision

News

Timothy D. Cook, Apple’s chief executive, tweeted that his company would fight for the people affected by Trump’s action to be “treated as equals.”

DOJ Threatens Immigration Rights Lawyers, Demands They Drop Their Clients

News

In a letter last month, the Justice Department told the group it must ‘cease and desist’ providing certain legal assistance to immigrants unless it undertakes full representation of them in court. according to *The Seattle Times*.

Lawyer Says Texas Law Banning ‘Sanctuary Cities’ Has Serious Constitutional Problems

News

A trial and appellate lawyer says a recently passed Texas “sanctuary cities” ban set to take effect Sept. 1 is vulnerable to a Constitutional challege.

Jay Peak Resort Receiver Reaches $150 Million Settlement with Raymond James

News

Michael I. Goldberg, the SEC appointed receiver in charge of the Jay Peak Resort and Burke Mountain Hotel in Vermont, reached a settlement agreement with Raymond James that will significantly benefit the defrauded investors and creditors of the receivership estate.

Largest Immigration Law Firm in U.S. is Busy, Very Busy

News

The only large U.S. law firm in the country dedicated solely to immigration work is in crisis management mode in the wake of President Donald Trump's immigration order, reports Bloomberg Law.

Uber CEO to Leave Trump Advisory Council After Criticism

News

Uber CEO Travis Kalanick responded to an onslaught of criticism to his joining President Trump's economic advisory council by resigning from the council on Thursday, reports *The New York Times*.

Many More Legal Challenges Likely for Trump's Executive

Order on Immigration

News

Scholars say that President Trump's executive order on immigration is likely to face a series of new legal challenges about whether it violates a 1965 anti-discrimination law and the Constitution, *The Washington Post* reports.

Is Trump Immigrant Order Repeating History? An Attorney Says Maybe

Insight

The First Amendment prohibits government action that favors one religion over another, and the current executive order clearly does so by giving non-Muslims priority status, says David Coale of Lynn Pinker Cox Hurst.

Tech Industry Reacts to Trump's Order on Immigration With Fear and Frustration

News

Donald Trump's executive order Friday banning citizens of certain countries from entering the U.S. for 90 days

blindsided the technology industry, reports *The Los Angeles Times*.

Sanctuary Cities See Legal Holes in Trump's Immigration Orders

News

It's possible that an exemption in Trump's order cutting funds from sanctuary cities makes it much more likely that a judge could strike down that section of the order as unconstitutional, Reuters reports.

Obama Nominates Possible First Muslim-American Judge to Federal Court

News

NBC News reports that, while Muslim Americans have filled roles as state judges, none have served at the federal trial or appellate levels, according to Muslim Advocates, a national legal advocacy organization.

Ted Cruz's Call to 'Secure' Muslim Neighborhoods Stirs a Backlash

News

GOP presidential candiate Senator Ted Cruz angered American Muslims on Tuesday with a call to "patrol and secure Muslim neighborhoods" in the wake of the terrorist attacks in Brussels, reports *The New York Times*.

Last Call for H-1Bs

Article

The H-1B is a non-immigrant visa in the United States which allows U.S. employers to temporarily employ foreign workers in specialty occupations. The deadline to file is April 1, 2016.

H-1B Visa – 2016 Filing Season

Article

Starting April 1, 2016, the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services will begin accepting H-1B visa petition filings –

subject to the annual cap – for the next fiscal year.

The Disturbing Legal Consequences Of Ted Cruz Birtherism

Commentary

There is good evidence that the founding fathers would have understood the words “natural born citizen” to mean only people born within a nation’s borders, but there’s also strong evidence on the other side of the debate, according to an article published by ThinkProgress.

Is Ted Cruz, Born in Canada, Eligible for the Presidency?

NEWS

Legal experts say a child’s citizenship can be determined based on where he or she is born and who the parents are.

Legal Experts Agree: Trump’s Proposal Unconstitutional

NEWS

Experts said the proposal would violate the Constitution’s equal protection clause and freedom of religion granted under the First Amendment.