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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about repression.

DHS has found that white supremacists pose the top domestic terrorism threat. You have pardoned many members and some leaders of these groups while calling property damage at Tesla dealerships and - along with FBI Director Patel - peaceful protest by BLM and antifa activists terrorism. Your State Department ordered the arrest and planned expulsion of Mr Khalil - a US permanent resident and now political prisoner singled out for organizing campus protests. Far from disavowing these repressive tactics you have called such protests illegal and threatened universities with funding cuts if they do not become accomplices and assist with the 'many arrests to come'

Please assure me that you will release Mr Khalil.

My pride in the US derives in part from our political freedom.

Sincerely,
Eric Babson