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If you are seeking asylum, we can help

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The executive order of January 27, 2017, titled Protecting the Nation from Foreign Terrorist Entry into the United States, bars Syrian refugees indefinitely, targets immigrants from several Muslim-majority nations, and slashes refugee resettlement.

The order:

Though the Trump Administration claims the order is not a ban on Muslims and is not indefinite, the order indicates the opposite.

The order led to legal permanent residents and other legal immigrants being barred from the United States.

The order blocks the admission of Iraqis whose lives are at risk due to their work with Americans, despite protections for them under the Refugee Crisis in Iraq Act.

The order is different from the Obama Administrations actions on resettling Iraqi refugees.

Parts of the order have been halted by courts, but only temporarily, and officials may not be complying.

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