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Casas-Castrillon v. Lockyer is one of several cases in which the Center for Constitutional Rights (CCR) has signed on as amicus curiae to support non-citizens seeking relief from immigration detention. It involves a challenge to the detention of non-citizens as they pursue relief from deportation. CCR along with other human rights organizations that advocate on behalf of immigrant and non-citizen communities filed an amicus brief that argues prolonged immigrant detention degrades constitutional due process protections by requiring people to surrender their rights in exchange for judicial review.

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