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## 1NC – CIR DA

Immigration will pass – delay collapses economy

Bush 12-19 [Jeb Bush Jr. “Time is now for immigration reform”, thehill.com/blogs/congress-blog/foreign-policy/193578-time-is-now-for-immigration-reform]

Wide acknowledgement from Republican House leadership — and support among Republican constituents — shows that

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the higher the costs to our economy, our security and our families.

Any change in embargo drains massive amounts of political capital

Cardenas ’12 [11/13/12, Jose R. Cardenas is a writer for Foreign Policy. “Cuba policy in a second Obama term,” http://shadow.foreignpolicy.com/posts/2012/11/13/cuba\_policy\_in\_a\_second\_obama\_term]

Critics of current U.S. policy towards Cuba have already begun speculating what

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U.S. administration would need to re-evaluate the relationship.

PC key

Orlando Sentinel 11-1 [11/1/13, It’s a newspaper that follows Congress, “What we think: It'll take both parties to clear immigration logjam”, http://articles.orlandosentinel.com/2013-11-01/news/os-ed-immigration-reform-congress-20131031\_1\_immigration-reform-comprehensive-reform-house-republicans]

For those who thought the end of the government shutdown would provide a break from

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earn citizenship. House Democratic leaders will have to underscore the president's message.

CIR’s critical to economic growth---multiple internals

Klein 13 Ezra is a columnist for The Washington Post. “To Fix the U.S. Economy, Fix Immigration,” 1/29, http://www.bloomberg.com/news/2013-01-29/to-fix-the-u-s-economy-fix-immigration.html

Washington tends to have a narrow view of what counts as “economic policy.”

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influx of foreign-born students is the most obvious solution you’ll find.

Economic decline leads to miscalculation and crisis escalation—escalates

Harris and Burrows, ‘09 [Mathew, PhD European History at Cambridge, counselor in the National Intelligence Council (NIC) and Jennifer, member of the NIC’s Long Range Analysis Unit “Revisiting the Future: Geopolitical Effects of the Financial Crisis” <http://www.ciaonet.org/journals/twq/v32i2/f_0016178_13952.pdf>]

Increased Potential for Global Conflict Of course, the report encompasses more than economics and

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within and between states in a more dog-eat-dog world.

## 1NC – T QPQ

Interpretation – economic engagement must be conditional

Shinn 96 [James Shinn, C.V. Starr Senior Fellow for Asia at the CFR in New York City and director of the council’s multi-year Asia Project, worked on economic affairs in the East Asia Bureau of the US Dept of State, “Weaving the Net: Conditional Engagement with China,” pp. 9 and 11, google books]

In sum, conditional engagement consists of a set of objectives, a strategy for attaining those objectives, and tactics (specific policies) for implementing that strategy.

The objectives of conditional engagement are the ten principles, which were selected to preserve American vital interests in Asia while accommodating China’s emergence as a major power.

The overall strategy of conditional engagement follows two parallel lines: economic engagement, to

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105, no. 3 (1990), pp. 383-88).

Violation – the aff is a unilateral giving – not a quid pro quo offer

Vote negative – quid pro quo gives competition for conditions cp and say no arguments. Key to fight back against aff bias

## 1NC – Race K

The 1AC is the perfection of slavery

The 1AC’s demand for legal relief is the perfection of the slave as a slave

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the slave expresses its fidelity and accepts it role as depending on the master

Farley 5 [Boston College (Anthony, “Perfecting Slavery”, <http://lawdigitalcommons.bc.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1028&context=lsfp>)]

Slavery is with us still. We are haunted by slavery. We are animated

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beyond the veil, beyond death; hence, the end of forever.

Cuban civil society is anti black – their call for engagement is a call for racism

Allen ’11 [Jafari S. Allen is an Assistant Professor of African American Studies and Anthropology at Yale University. “The Erotics of Black Self-Making in Cuba,” pgs. 52-53 Thanks Charles]

Jose Marti, the intellectual hero of Cuban independence, invoked the biological truth that

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in the image of a black mulata seductress. (1995:18)

The affirmative rhetorical silence on whiteness is an active stance that allows white privilege to thrive by masking its existence and treating is as an assumed norm.

DR. CRENSHAW Prof of Speech Comm @ Univ. Ala. 1997

Carrie-PhD. USC; former director of debate @ Univ. of Ala.; WESTERN JOURNAL OF COMMUNICATION

This analysis of Helms’ opening argument illustrates how the ideology of white privilege operates through

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of whiteness like Helms’ protect material white privilege because they mask its existence.

Try or Die – Isolation of racially oppressed groups leads to the TERMINATION OF HUMANITY.

Marable Director of the Institute for Research in African American Studies 1984

Manning-Professor of History @ Columbia University; *“Speaking Truth to Power:* *Essays on Race, Resistance and Radicalism*; p. 198-199.

Black Americans also comprehend that peace is not the absence of conflict. As long

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the electoral mainstream, the results may be the termination of humanity itself.

IT’S THE ALTERNATIVE AT ALL COSTS/BY ANY MEANS NECESSARY

SEEING as citizens of the undiscovered country is an invitation to another better world, memory out of repetition is making life out of death and it is possible to work through the repetitions, work through the TRAUMA of the original accumulation and even if there is a PRICE to be paid for such knowing, WHAT OF IT? We have an entire world to win and NOTHING to lose

Farley, ’10 [2010, James Campbell Farley is a Matthews Distinguished Professor of Jurisprudence Albany Law School, Anthony Paul Farley, “SHATTERED: Afterword for Defining Race, A Joint Symposium of The Albany Law Review and the Albany Journal of Science and Technology”; Albany Law Review,, Vo. 72:1053]

We are citizens of the undiscovered country. It is a country we must leave

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, nothing to lose but scattered leaves, and it is only November.

## 1NC – Advantage CP

The United States Federal Government should fully fund a program to cover 4.8% of the surface of the Earth’s oceans in a monolayer of 0.1 μm diameter latex particles, either hollow, or of core-shell morphology, bearing a conventional stabilization system that is inactivated in salt water. The United States Federal Government should increase funding for disease monitoring, information sharing, and zoonotic data collection worldwide

Solves warming, only costs $2 billion, and avoids all solvency deficits associated with traditional ocean albedo modifications.

Morgan, ’11 [10/8/11, John, PhD in physical chemistry, runs R&D programmes at a Sydney startup company, research experience in chemical engineering in the US and at the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation, Australia's national science agency, “Low intensity geoengineering – microbubbles and microspheres,” <http://bravenewclimate.com/2011/10/08/low-intensity-geoengineering-microbubbles-and-microspheres/>]

The appeal of this technique comes from the fact that you only need very small

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a powerful engineered response to climate change, if we can deploy them.

Solves disease

CISET 1996

(Interagency Government working group on emerging infectious diseases founded under the auspices of the Committee on International Science, Engineering, and Technology , “Global Microbial Threats in the 1990s,” http://clinton1.nara.gov/White\_House/EOP/OSTP/CISET/html/exsum.html)

At the present time, a formal system for infectious disease surveillance does not exist

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program performance and progress, but also to detect and report emerging problems.

## 1NC – Transition

Turn – Castro Cred

A. Economic reforms are coming now in Cuba – causes long term stability

Sweig and Rockefeller ‘13 [Julia E. Sweig, Nelson and David Rockefeller Senior Fellow for Latin America Studies and Director for Latin America Studies, and Michael Bustamante. “Cuba After Communism The Economic Reforms That Are Transforming the Island” <http://www.cfr.org/cuba/cuba-after-communism/p30991>]

Small-time diaspora capital may prove easier to regulate and rely on than funds

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the black market or assistance from family abroad to acquire many daily necessities.

B. The plan creates a political whirlwind that kills reforms and causes instability

Hernandez ’12 [Cuba’s Leading Social Sciences professor and researcher at the University of Havana and the High Institute of International Relations; Director of U.S. studies at the Centro de Estudios sobre America; and a Senior Research Fellow at the Instituto cubano de Investigacion Cultural “Juan Marinello” in Havana. “Debating U.S-Cuban Relations”]

As far as costs are concerned, although many Cubans favor detente and appreciate its

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dealing effectively with "communist regimes" but its sense of superpower omnipotence.

No extinction

Posner 5—Senior Lecturer, U Chicago Law. Judge on the US Court of Appeals 7th Circuit. AB from Yale and LLB from Harvard. (Richard, Catastrophe, http://goliath.ecnext.com/coms2/gi\_0199-4150331/Catastrophe-the-dozen-most-significant.html)

Yet the fact that Homo sapiens has managed to survive every disease to assail it

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wider human contacts that make it more difficult to localize an infectious disease.

Global pandemics unlikely

Ridley ’12 [August 17th, 2012, Matt, columnist for The Wall Street Journal and author of The Rational Optimist: How Prosperity Evolves, “Apocalypse Not: Here’s Why You Shouldn’t Worry About End Times,” http://www.wired.com/wiredscience/2012/08/ff\_apocalypsenot/all/]

The emergence of AIDS led to a theory that other viruses would spring from tropical

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genome and devise a vaccine or cure is getting better all the time.

Zoonotic diseases mutate slowly

Fortune, 2005, Volume 151, Issue 5, March 7, [EBSCO]

Novelty can also work against a flu virus: After first jumping to humans,

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we would have advance warning of a bad bird flu coming at us.

## 1NC – Agriculture

No impact – empirics

Willis, et. al, ‘10 [Kathy J. Willis, Keith D. Bennett, Shonil A. Bhagwat & H. John B. Birks (2010): 4 °C and beyond: what did this mean for biodiversity in the past?, Systematics and Biodiversity, 8:1, 3-9, <http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/pdf/10.1080/14772000903495833>

The most recent climate models and fossil evidence for the early Eocene Climatic Optimum (

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subtle changes in plant–animal interactions (Harrington & Jaramillo, 2007).]

mitigation and adaptation will solve

There is no impact to warming – current sources are alarmist and misleading – impacts won’t happen for 2 centuries, by then technology will advance to the point where we can mitigate or adapt

Robert O. Mendelsohn 9, the Edwin Weyerhaeuser Davis Professor, Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies, Yale University, June 2009, “Climate Change and Economic Growth,” online: http://www.growthcommission.org/storage/cgdev/documents/gcwp060web.pdf

The heart of the debate about climate change comes from a number of warnings from

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range climate risks. What is needed are long‐run balanced responses.

Turn – increased carbon emissions is key to check high altitude water vapor, which outweighs – prefer our evidence – their authors falsify data and their models don’t evaluate water vapor

Andrews, ’10 [January 29, 2010, Michael Andrews, “Dropping Water Vapor Levels are Naturally Negating Carbon's Warming Effects”, http://www.dailytech.com/Dropping+Water+Vapor+Levels+are+Naturally+Negating+Carbons+Warming+Effects+/article17553.htm

\*\*\*Note – he is citing a peer-reviewed study by Susan Solomon , Karen H. Rosenlof and Robert W. Portmann, John S. Daniel, Sean M. Davis, Todd J. Sanford –research scientists for the [National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/National_Oceanic_and_Atmospheric_Administration), Gian-Kasper Plattner – works at Climate and Environmental Physics, Physics Institute, University of Bern, Sidlerstrasse 5, 3012 Bern, Switzerland

Recently there has been a rash of incidents in which climate alarmists have been embarrassingly

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of the model based research used to predict warming is likely badly flawed.

CO2 is key to avert a global agricultural crisis and collapse of the biosphere resulting from global species extinction – outweighs the uncertain effects of warming

Idso, et. al, ’02 [Sherwood PhD and fmr research physicist for the Dept of Ag, Keith PhD Botany, Craig PhD Geography, “Feeding Humanity to Help Save Natural Ecosystems: The Role of the Rising Atmospheric CO2 Concentration”, CO2 Science, Volume 5, Number 36: 4 September 2002

How much land can ten billion people spare for nature? This provocative question was

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Any policies that stand in the way of that objective are truly obscene.

That outweighs – the incoming agricultural crisis is of near certainty and occurs much faster – any defense on warming means you vote negative

Idso and Idso, ’02 [Keith PhD Botany, Craig PhD Geography, “Two Crises of Unbelievable Magnitude: Can We Prevent One Without Exacerbating the Other?”, CO2 Science, Volume 4, Number 24: 13 June 2001

Two potentially devastating environmental crises loom ominously on the horizon. One is catastrophic global

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in the foreseeable future is anywhere near as certain as the looming agricultural crisis

Negaive Feedbacks

Singer ‘11, PhD physics – Princeton University and professor of environmental science – UVA, consultant – NASA, GAO, DOE, NASA, Carter, PhD paleontology – University of Cambridge, adjunct research professor – Marine Geophysical Laboratory @ James Cook University, and Idso, PhD Geography – ASU, S. Fred, Robert M. and Craig, “Climate Change Reconsidered,” 2011 Interim Report of the Nongovernmental Panel on Climate Change)

All else being equal, their conclusion might be correct. However, ―all

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induced by the increases or decreases in the atmosphere‘s CO2 concentration.

No impact to CO2 level rise

Happer ’11 [May 23rd, 2011, William, Chairman of the Board of Directors (GMI); Cyrus Fogg Brackett Professor of Physics, Princeton University, Ph.D. in Physics from Princeton, “The Truth About Greenhouse Gases”, <http://www.marshall.org/article.php?id=953>]

Although human beings and many other animals would do well with no CO2 at all

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of CO2 from the warming oceans and the reverse effect when they cooled.

## 1NC – No War

Nuclear war outweighs-probability and immediacy

Weissman 1994

Paul R., The Comet and Asteroid Impact Hazard in Perspective, NASA jet propulsion laboratory, http://citeseerx.ist.psu.edu/viewdoc/download?doi=10.1.1.38.3259&rep=rep1&type=pdf

What priority then should be given to the impact hazard problem? Is it more

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, it is entirely logical that they have priority over the impact hazard.

“No war” predictions fail – nuclear wars are now uniquely likely and impossible to predict

Charles F. Doran, Andrew W. Mellon Professor of International Relations at Johns Hopkins University's Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS), 1999 (“The Structural Turbulance of International Affairs,” *Survival*, Volume 41, Number 2, Summer, p. 148-149)

One of the characteristics of future major wars is that they will not necessarily look

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contributes to the spiral of uncertainty that leads in the end to war.

And we have enough WMD’s to cause war

Douglas Ross 4 **--- professor - Political Science - Simon Fraser University** founding director of the Canadian Centre for Arms Control and Disarmament in 1983 and served on the national policy advisory group for the Canadian Ambassadors for Disarmament from 1986 to 1993, Weapons of Mass Destruction and the End of War?, Violence and its Alternatives—THE CONTINUING SERIES, Spring, 2004, http://journals.sfu.ca/humanitas/index.php/humanitas/article/viewFile/60/62

The purpose of this short lecture is to lay out some of the reasons why

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the threat posed by smuggled atomic devices in the trunks of rental cars.

Nuke war causes extinction-peer reviewed studies.

Starr 2011

Steven, Senior Scientist with Physicians for Social Responsibility and a NAPF Associate, Consequences of a Single Failure of Nuclear Deterrence, 2-7-2011, http://www.wagingpeace.org/articles/db\_article.php?article\_id=213

Only a single failure of nuclear deterrence is required to start a nuclear war,

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to the realization that “nuclear war” means “global nuclear suicide”.

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## 2NC Solvency Run

INTEGRATING ZOONOTIC DISEASE MONITORING WITH STATUS QUO SURVEILLANCE MEASURES IS CRITICAL TO CONFRONT EPIDEMICS AND MAINTAIN POPULAR SUPPORT

MURPHY 1998

(Frederick, professor of virology at the School of Veterinary Medicine, University of California, Davis. He has served as director of the Division of Viral and Rickettsial Diseases as well as director of the National Center for Infectious Diseases, Centers for Disease Control, and dean of the School of Veterinary Medicine, Emerging Infectious Diseases July-Sept http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/EID/vol4no3/murphy.htm)

Who will be the world's doctor? Who will be the world's expert on zoonotic

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:cost ratio, which would solve several high priority problems most efficiently.

## 2NC AT Add On

Turn – US environmental leadership collapses free trade, turns environmental progress

Anderson and Grewell, ‘01 [Terry Anderson is a professor of economics @ Montana State and J. Bishop Grewell is a Research Associate @ the PERC, 2 Chi. J. Int'l L. 427, Lexis]

The unintended consequences of punishment for violating environmental agreements with trade restrictions should be considered

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is shortsighted and misses the bigger picture of long-run environmental consequences.

Protecionism is the worst impact – causes shooting wars and extinction

Miller, President of the International Society for Individual Liberty, 88 (Vincent H., “Free Trade or Protectionism? - The Case Against Trade Restrictions,” http://www.isil.org/resources/lit/free-trade-protectionism.html)

The losers? You and all other ordinary consumers. Your freedom is being trampled

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, and Trade Advisor to the White House Member of ISIL's Board of Directors

The environment is resilient – It has withstood ridiculous amounts of destruction.

Easterbrook 95, Distinguished Fellow, Fullbright Foundation (Gregg, A Moment on Earth pg 25) MI

In the aftermath of events such as Love Canal or the Exxon Valdez oil spill

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of the dreaming ape. Human assaults on the environment, though mischievous,

## 2NC AT No Solve

Scientifically valid – bubbles reflect light and increase the reflectivity of clouds magnifying the efficiency – doesn’t hurt the environment

Evans, ’10 [2010, J. R. G. Evans, Department of Chemistry, University College of London, E. P. J. Stride, Department of Mechanical Engineering, University College of London, M. J. Edirisinghe, Department of Mechanical Engineering, University College of London, D. J. Andrews, Department of Mechanical Engineering, University College of London, R. R. Simons, Department of Civil, Environmental and Geomatic Engineering, University College of London, “Can oceanic foams limit global warming?”<http://www.see.ed.ac.uk/~shs/Climate%20change/Flettner%20ship/Evans_et_al_ClimRes2010.pdf>]

With this in mind, the double-acting intervention of creating oceanic foam to

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size distributions has also been experimentally determined (Sellegri et al. 2006).

## 2NC AT Enviro DA—Ocean

Doesn't hurt the environment

Morgan 11 [10/8/11, John, PhD in physical chemistry, runs R&D programmes at a Sydney startup company, research experience in chemical engineering in the US and at the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation, Australia's national science agency, “Low intensity geoengineering – microbubbles and microspheres,” <http://bravenewclimate.com/2011/10/08/low-intensity-geoengineering-microbubbles-and-microspheres/>]

The issue for any organism that might imbibe them is whether the physical obstruction of

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seem to manage with their physical presence, if not their infectious modes.

No impact

a. Organisms are resilient

ITOPF 07 [International Tanker Owners Pollution Federation, “Marine Recovery”]

Marine organisms have varying degrees of natural resilience to changes in their habitats. The

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as a result even a major oil spill will rarely cause permanent effects.

# Co2 Ag

## 2NC Impact Calc – Michael

Precautionary Principl means you vote neg

Idso and Idso, ’01 [Keith PhD Botany, Craig PhD Geography, “The Most Important Global Change”, Volume 4, Number 8: 21 February 2001

Even under the best of conditions, however, the match-up between future

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to limit any nation's CO2 emissions. It will only hurt us all.

Timeframe – Collapse of the biosphere is the biggest short term impact, and has long term irreversible consequences – intervening actors can solve warming in a quarter century

Idso and Idso, ’2K [Keith PhD Botany, Craig PhD Geography, “Biodiversity and CO2”, Volume 3, Number 8: 15 April 2000

"Habitat destruction is the leading cause of species extinction" and "humanity is

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allies we will ever have in our battle to preserve the planet's biodiversity."

## 2NC Link Wall – Long

CO2 is key to plant growth and outweighs their turns

A) All around benefits and overwhelming amounts of evidence

Idso, et. al, ’01 (Craig and Keith and Sherwood, Presidents and Vice President, Center for The Study of Carbon Dioxide and Global Change, Volume 4, Number 27: 7/4)

With respect to plant life, we encounter a somewhat different situation: we need

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in their diets, as noted in our editorial of [20 June 2001](http://www.co2science.org/v4n25edit.htm).

B) Only CO2 solves our internal link – land efficiency is key

Idso, et. al, ’02 (Craig and Keith and Sherwood, Presidents and Vice President, Center for The Study of Carbon Dioxide and Global Change, Volume 5, Number 36: 9/4)

Fortunately, we have a powerful ally in the ongoing rise in the air's CO2

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Any policies that stand in the way of that objective are truly obscene.

C) Soil erosion and desertification

Idso, et. al, ’01 (Craig and Keith and Sherwood, Presidents and Vice President, Center for The Study of Carbon Dioxide and Global Change, Volume 4, Number 50: 12/12)

With consequent increases in ground cover in these regions, the adverse effects of wind- and water-induced soil erosion are also reduced, and there is a subsequent tendency for desertification to be reversed and vast tracts of previously unproductive land to become supportive of more abundant animal life, both above- and below-ground, in what could appropriately be called a "greening of the earth."

## 2NC – Neg Feedbacks

Biomass productivity—a consensus of studies vote negative

Singer et al, ’11 [2011, Robert M. Carter is a palaeontologist, stratigrapher, marine geologist and adjunct professorial research fellow in earth sciences at James Cook University, S. Fred Singer is an American physicist and emeritus professor of environmental science at the University of Virginia, Craig D. Idso has a PhD in Geography from Arizona State University, “Climate Change Reconsidered”, Interim Report, http://www.nipccreport.org/reports/2011/pdf/FrontMatter.pdf]

Lin et al. (2010) observe that ―most models predict that climate

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in the agricultural arena and throughout the planet‘s many natural ecosystems.

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## Overview

Turns Cuban transition

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[Juliette, columnist at The Boston Globe, writing national security and foreign affairs, “Immigration Reform after Hugo Chavez,” New York Times News Service, Hawaii Tribune Herald, 3/10/13, <http://hawaiitribune-herald.com/sections/commentary/their-views/immigration-reform-after-hugo-chavez.html>]

The United States, which is comprehensively reassessing its immigration policies, has the capacity

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dead. The Castros are exiting the stage. America should move on.

## Obamacare

Obama care is not connected to immigration – will pass

Batley 12-17 [Melanie Batley, “Obamacare Failures Imperil Hopes for Immigration Reform”, http://www.newsmax.com/Newsfront/immigration-sidetracked-competence-management/2013/12/17/id/542296]

"These are different systems," White House Press secretary Jay Carney said, according

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only gotten better," New York Democratic Sen. Chuck Schumer told Politico.

Bureaucracy solves

Istook 11-2 [11/12/13, Ernest J. Istook Jr. is a Distinguished Fellow at The Heritage Foundation, served 14 years in the U.S. House of Representatives, “Big Bureaucracy Pushes Obama’s Agenda Behind The Scenes”, http://www.talkradionews.com/opinion/2013/11/12/big-bureaucracy-pushes-obamas-agenda-behind-the-scenes.html#.UolFrMSkqY0]

President Obama is not totally bogged down by Obamacare. Unfortunately, he's making a

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agenda that are invisible to most Americans, but he’s using them aggressively.

Obama’s solution solved

Beutler 11-14 [11/14/13, Brian Beutler writer for the Salon, “The president strikes back: Insurance companies get their justified comeuppance”, www.salon.com/2013/11/14/the\_president\_strikes\_back\_insurance\_companies\_get\_their\_justified\_comeuppance/]

If your health insurance carrier has canceled your plan in anticipation of the launch of

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fixed. I imagine Obama’s great hope right now is that it does.

## Lifting would Increase

Immigration reform necessary to sustain the economy and competitiveness

Javier Palomarez, Forbes, 3/6/13, The Pent Up Entrepreneurship That Immigration Reform Would Unleash, www.forbes.com/sites/realspin/2013/03/06/the-pent-up-entrepreneurship-that-immigration-reform-would-unleash/print/

The main difference between now and 2007 is that today the role of immigrants and

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businesses and workers already know: The American economy needs comprehensive immigration reform.

## Legislative gridlock

Will pass Tallent and Ryan

Hunt 12-17 [Albert Hunt, “There Is Still Hope for Immigration Reform”, http://www.bloomberg.com/news/2013-12-17/there-is-still-hope-for-immigration-reform.html]

Immigration reform legislation, which cleared the Senate earlier this year, has stalled in

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and the possibility of citizenship for many of the 11 million undocumented immigrants.

Budget Deal allows immigration

Nakamura 12-13 [David Nakamura, “Budget deal in Congress raises White House hopes on other priorities”, http://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/budget-deal-in-congress-raises-white-house-hopes-on-other-priorities/2013/12/13/c4b885c4-6412-11e3-aa81-e1dab1360323\_story.html]

A round of successful deal-making on Capitol Hill has altered the political dynamic

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, which dominated the debate in Washington at the expense of other issues.

Boehner’s strategy allows immigration

Nakamura 12-13 [David Nakamura, “Budget deal in Congress raises White House hopes on other priorities”, http://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/budget-deal-in-congress-raises-white-house-hopes-on-other-priorities/2013/12/13/c4b885c4-6412-11e3-aa81-e1dab1360323\_story.html]

The administration got an unexpected boost this week when Boehner berated the tea party-

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GOP-led House, with a final vote expected late next week.

## XO Solves

XO can’t solve, and Obama won’t do it because of political backlash

Reuters 8-3 (Reuters, “Immigration Advocates Will Urge Obama Executive Order if Reform Fails” <http://www.newsmax.com/Newsfront/immigration-reform-obama-congress/2013/08/03/id/518525> 8-3-13)

Presidential action may be the least desirable outcome for supporters of immigration reform, however

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himself in real difficulty." (Editing by Fred Barbash and Bill Trott)

Obama won’t issue an immigration XO --- not worth the political risk

Keegan Hamilton 3-26, “How Obama Could (but Probably Won't) Stop Deporting Illegal Immigrants Today,” The Atlantic, 3-26-13, http://www.theatlantic.com/politics/archive/2013/03/how-obama-could-but-probably-wont-stop-deporting-illegal-immigrants-today/274352/

On the other hand, Kenneth R. Mayer, a professor of political science

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ImmigrationWorks USA, an advocacy group comprised largely of small-business owners.

Rollback means XO’s fail

Cox & Rodriguez ‘9

Adam B. Cox & Rodriguez 9 is a Professor of Law, University of Chicago Law School. Cristina M. Rodriguez is a Professor of Law, New York University School of Law “Article: The President and Immigration Law” The Yale Law Journal December, 2009 119 Yale L.J. 458

[\*502] Section 212(d)(5) of the INA gives the

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not for "classes or groups outside the limit of the law." n155

## PC Counter prod

Obama’s push locks-up a House vote, but the window is narrow

Scher 10-18 [10/18/13, Bill Scher is a writer for The Week, “How to make John Boehner cave on immigration”, theweek.com/article/index/251361/how-to-make-john-boehner-cave-on-immigration]

What Boehner lost for his Republicans is national respectability. Republican Party approval hit a

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But he won't do it without a push. A real good push.

PC key no matter what

Robichaud et al. 10-25 [10/25/13, A Law firm, “Beyond the poisoned well: immigration reform tactics changing”, http://www.robichaudlaw.com/blog/2013/10/beyond-the-poisoned-well-immigration-reform-tactics-changing.shtml]

President Obama has not given up on enacting comprehensive immigration reform. To be sure

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to making such reform one of the top priorities of his second term.

## No Econ decline

Perception of economic slowdown causes war – rising nationalism results in adversarial economics which incites external conflict – newest studies prove

James 7-3 [7/3/13, Harold James is a Professor of History and International Affairs at Princeton University and Professor of History at the European University Institute, Florence, project syndicate, "financial crisis and war" http://www.project-syndicate.org/commentary/financial-crisis-and-war-by-harold-james~~236ObpMZcq3uXv7puL.99]

PRINCETON – The approach of the hundredth anniversary of the outbreak of World War I

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flared up in its wake. Destructive strategies may not be far behind.