



Could You be Deported?

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While it may sound far-fetched, the Trump administration is asserting that it has **unlimited power** to remove anyone it wants from the country. According to them, that means you—the person reading this article—**could be expelled** from the United States **without meaningful recourse**.

Even more chilling, the administration has claimed it could make a deal with **a foreign power to imprison you** indefinitely. And if it made a mistake? It could simply say that it has **no authority to bring you back**.

You might wonder whether this is hyperbole. I hope that it is. U.S. citizens are **supposed to be protected** from deportation. But what is happening no longer fits that definition. Removal from the U.S. requires due process, but the administration has **flouted those safeguards** in favor of **rapidly sending people** out of the country. It now claims it **might permanently dispatch U.S. citizens** to the same prison in El Salvador, while also **washing its hands** of the ability to bring anyone back.