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**LAC Issues Practice Advisory on DHS's Plan to Review
All Removal Cases for Prosecutorial Discretion**

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Washington, D.C.— The American Immigration Council's Legal Action Center (LAC) is pleased to announce the release of a new practice advisory: "[DHS Review of Low Priority Cases for Prosecutorial Discretion](#)." Following an announcement on August 18, 2011, a joint Department of Homeland Security (DHS)-Department of Justice (DOJ) working group has been established to review all pending removal cases and to administratively close those cases that do not fall within the agency's highest immigration enforcement priorities, namely, national security, public safety, border security and the integrity of the immigration system. This Practice Advisory details information that is known to date about the review and includes suggested steps that attorneys can take to ensure that DHS has the information it needs to determine that a client's case is "low priority."

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