



KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

If you ask an ICE Agent "AM I FREE TO GO" they are legally required to answer **YES or NO**.

If they say YES you are free to go: WALK AWAY - even if you are at your home or your job.

There are only four ways that an ICE Agent can tell you that you are not allowed to leave:

1. They are lying, or
2. They know who you are and that you are illegal or deportable, or
3. They know who you are and you have an arrest warrant for criminal activity, or
4. They witnessed you involved in criminal activity.

In the absence of those four things they have to let you go - your immigration status is not a crime!

If they say NO you are not free to go: there is only one word you say - "LAWYER!!!"

1. NEVER SAY ANYTHING OTHER THAN "LAWYER".
2. NEVER SIGN ANYTHING.
3. NEVER SHOW THEM YOUR IDENTIFICATION.
4. NEVER CONSENT TO THEM SEARCHING YOU, YOUR HOME, OR YOUR CAR.

When you say "lawyer" they are legally required to stop asking you ANY questions until you speak to a lawyer. They will try to get you to speak but DO NOT SPEAK. It doesn't matter whether you have a lawyer or not. They have to allow you to make a phone call - call your lawyer or call your family and tell them to get a lawyer.



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1. You should have an immigration attorney's phone number in your cell phone!
2. Do not run or hide!
3. ICE agents are not cops, they are employees at an administrative agency!
4. There are only two things you should ever say to an ICE Agent:
 1. "AM I FREE TO GO?"
 2. "LAWYER!"

ICE agents are not cops, but they can become cops - but only if you help them. How do they become cops? They turn themselves into cops by employing two tactics:

1. Fear: An army shows up in riot gear, they carry guns, etc;
2. Ignorance: They assume you do not know your rights!

IF YOU SAY NOTHING, THEY HAVE VERY LITTLE POWER

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If you are arrested by ICE you can call our office 24 hours a day

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