

Dear Colleagues,

Some of you may have heard that the Rev. Kaji Douša has been put on a government watch list because of her advocacy for refugees at the border. BuzzFeed has done a recent article about a lawsuit she is filing to reclaim her first amendment rights. You can read that here:

<https://www.buzzfeednews.com/article/adolfoflores/pastor-watchlist-immigrants-lawsuit?fbclid=IwAR1ctnE8-VyegEiWl6nR-iotFDaWMwzDT8H-hxKGeV76SHyIZMdgzIAMv4>



A Pastor Who Was Put On A Watch List After Working With Immigrants Is Suing The US

The Rev. Kaji Douša said her First Amendment rights were violated after she was surveilled and questioned by the government for her work.

www.buzzfeednews.com

Kaji has written a sign on letter, trying to capture names of faith leaders who support her effort to reclaim her rights. I can report to you that Heather Kimmel, our General Counsel, has been working with and consulting with Kaji's attorney, and is thinking about writing and Amicus Brief in support of her claims.

If any of you are willing to sign on, please go to this link and add your name. David Gaewski might be able to give you some deeper insight into this matter, so feel free to direct any questions you might have to him.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfR4svY0AsAkfHzTAqLIBohfAt_8UZepAc0_i3QOgQ45Om4ug/viewform

Shalom,

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