



From NFDW President Cindy Jenks

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“President Donald Trump’s head must be exploding after the Supreme Court ruling declaring that DACA can remain in this country, at least for the time being. With this ruling coming right behind the decision that LGBTQ individuals cannot be fired from their jobs because of their sexual orientation, Trump is likely in a rage all over the West Wing. He thinks the Supreme Court and other government institutions work solely for him. The Republican Senators who have been focused on pushing through the appointments of federal judges are likely crying on Trump’s shoulder because they now have to admit that they don’t own the courts,” said NFDW President Cindy Jenks.

In a 5-4 ruling written by Chief Justice John Roberts, the Trump administration’s attempt to dismantle the “Dreamers” ability to remain in this country was dealt as a major blow. “This will likely elevate the issue of immigration in the presidential campaign. Trump responded to the decision by tweeting, ‘These horrible & politically charged decisions coming out of the Supreme Court are shotgun blasts into the face [sic] of people that are proud to call themselves Republicans or Conservatives. We need more Justices or we will lose our 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment & everything else. Vote Trump 2020!’”

The Supreme Court ruling that LGBTQ individuals cannot be fired from their jobs because of their sexual orientation was a 6-3 decision with Justice Neil Gorsuch writing for the majority of the Justices.

“We are very happy for our LGBTQ brothers and sisters, and we are delighted that our “Dreamers” can now enjoy their freedom to stay here for now. However, that could still change if Trump is re-elected. We wish the very best for all these individuals and we hope that they can thrive as they move forward. The National Federation of Democratic Women stands firm in support of our values and beliefs that all men and women are created equal and deserve to be treated justly and fairly by their employers and our government,” said NFDW President Cindy Jenks.

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