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<p>July 6-7, 2013 Washington, DC – Show #27 2013 (WFEDC)</p>	<p>Armando Guzmán</p>	<p>The Supreme Court recently struck down an important part of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 by a 5-to-4 vote. As a result, nine states can now change their election laws without the advanced approval of the federal government. It leaves the door open to racial discrimination in voting.</p> <p>The decision had immediate practical consequences, Texas being one of the first states to make moves on the opportunity, saying that a voter identification law that had been blocked would go into effect immediately. President Obama said he was “deeply disappointed” by the ruling.</p> <p>This is one of the issues at hand in our show, discussed with two Latino activists and a political analyst: Ben Monterroso, from Mi Familia Vota; Hector Sanchez, from the Labor Council for Latin American Advancement (LCLAA); and Estuardo Rodriguez, respectively.</p> <p>Another recent ruling from the Supreme Court calls for tougher scrutiny of colleges’ race-conscious admissions policies or Affirmative Action, a topic analyzed in our show by conservative Daniel Garza, from The Libre Initiative.</p> <p>Finally, Armando Guzman had a chance to talk with two Latin American former Presidents: Leonel Fernandez, from the Dominican Republic; and Marco Vinicio Cerezo, from Guatemala. They express their views on how Latin America perceive the decisions of the U.S. in terms of Immigration and other topics.</p>	<p>TRT is 23:52 and segment times as follows: Segment #1: 09:04 Segment #2: 05:35 Segment #3: 06:12 Segment #4: 03:01</p>
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<p>July 13-14, 2013 Washington, DC – Show #28 2013 (WFDC)</p>	<p>Armando Guzmán</p>	<p>We continue our discussion on the federal Health Care Reform, this time on the coverage of the Affordable Care Act for small businesses. Teresa Niño, spokeswoman of the federal Department of Health tells us why it is a great alternative for small business owners and their employees, and will also explain why certain changes took effect on this part of the law.</p> <p>Meanwhile, Hector Barreto, former Administrator of Small Business under the administration of President George W. Bush, critiques the government's Health Care Reform and offers his opinion on the effectiveness of coverage to small businesses. Also, Dr. Rene Gonzalez offers his position on the Affordable Care Act and tells us what the positive and negative impact on medical practice.</p>	<p>TRT is 23:50 and segment times as follows: Segment #1: 09:49 Segment #2: 06:39 Segment #3: 06:28 Segment #4: 00:54</p>
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<p>July 20-21, 2013 Washington, DC – Show #29 2013 (WFDC)</p>	<p>Armando Guzmán</p>	<p>Scarcely two weeks are left before the federal lawmakers take their Summer break. And that's exactly the time that remains in this session for the Immigration Reform as a priority in the House of Representatives. Otherwise, when they return in September, Congress could change their political agenda, at the expense of such an important issue for Latinos and undocumented immigrants. So we keep talking about Immigration Reform in our program.</p> <p>First, we get to talk with Texas Democratic congressmen, Robert "Beto" O'Rourke and Pete Gallego, about what is happening on Highway 281 in El Paso. According to an undercover border agent, drug raids and arrests are made there more often than ever... but other than seizing the narcotics, the traffickers are not sent to jail due to lack of funding. Armando Guzman questioned his guests on the subject of security and militarization of the border, in the context of the Immigration Reform.</p> <p>We also discuss Immigration Reform with Republican Congressman Trey Radel from Florida. Where is the Republican conference on the subject? Will there be a bill before the end of the year? Is this still a priority for the Republican-controlled Congress? These are some of the questions we get to ask them.</p> <p>Finally, we spoke with the Executive Director of the LIBRE Initiative, Daniel Garza, on a national advertising campaign on Immigration. We also analyze the Zimmerman case in Florida with attorneys Jose Perterra and John C. Kiyonaga, especially the not guilty verdict on the death of the African American teenager Trayvon Martin.</p>	<p>TRT is 23:51 and segment times as follows: Segment #1: 09:09 Segment #2: 04:24 Segment #3: 06:39 Segment #4: 03:39</p>
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<p>July 27-28, 2013 Washington, DC – Show #30 2013 (WFDC)</p>	<p>Armando Guzmán</p>	<p>There's only one week left of work at the Congress of the United States, and apparently the legislation on Immigration Reform in the House of Representatives will stay on the shelf... at least until the next session, which begins in September.</p> <p>In this show, we will discuss what has been achieved with the Senate bill and the challenge for U.S. Representatives to propose a measure that harmonizes with the one in the Senate, and also to make the long-awaited reform of the country's immigration laws.</p> <p>We begin with a special report summarizing the path of this legislation in both houses of Congress, prepared by Viridiana Vidal Las Vegas, Nevada. The analysis will be in the hands of representatives from the left, right and center: Vanessa Cardenas from the Center for American Progress, Israel Ortega from The Heritage Foundation, and Juan Carlos Hidalgo, from the CATO Institute.</p> <p>Finally, we present the activist's point of view on this issue and Kilder Fuentes, Director of the Peruvian American National Council, will be the one joining us for it.</p>	<p>TRT is 23:50 and segment times as follows: Segment #1: 08:17 Segment #2: 06:12 Segment #3: 05:14 Segment #4: 04:07</p>
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