We rely on the police to keep us safe and treat us all fairly, regardless of race, ethnicity, national origin or religion. This card provides tips for interacting with police and understanding your rights. Note: some state laws may vary. Separate rules apply at checkpoints and when entering the U.S. (including at airports).

YOUR RIGHTS

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have constitutional rights.

YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES

™Do stay calm and be polite.

™Do not interfere with or obstruct the police.

™Do not lie or give false documents.

™Do prepare yourself and your family in case you are arrested.

™Do remember the details of the encounter.

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your rights have been violated.

IF YOU ARE STOPPED FOR QUESTIONING

Stay calm. Don't run. Don't argue, resist or obstruct the police, even if you are innocent or police are violating your rights. Keep your hands where police can see them.

Ask if you are free tu But if police believe your car contains evidence of a crime, your car can be searched without your consent.

Both drivers and passengers have the right to remain silent. > [n d j V g Z e V h h Z c n Z d g X V b h ^ [n d j V g Z Z g Z i Z d a Z V k > Z [# Z
of cer says yes, sit silently or calmly leave. Even if the of cer says no, you have the right to remain silent.

IF YOU ARE QUESTIONED ABOUT YOUR IMMIGRATION STATUS

You have the right to remain silent and do not have to discuss your immigration or citizenship status with police, immigration
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