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Dear Senator [Senator's Name],

First of all, I want to thank you for the support and assistance that the United States has already provided to Ukrainians during this difficult time.

I am writing to you as an American citizen who is deeply concerned about the situation facing many Ukrainians in our country. At the moment, thousands of Ukrainians who came here legally under humanitarian programs are experiencing long delays in obtaining work permits. Many have already been waiting for 5–7 months without approval, while their documents remain pending. This situation leaves them in constant uncertainty and fear of losing their legal status. Without timely work authorization, many risk falling out of legal stay, and some have already been forced to leave the United States.

However, the war in Ukraine is still ongoing, and for many there is no safe home to return to. Those who cannot remain here must search for another place to live, but this is an extremely difficult and painful process for families who have already endured displacement and trauma.

This crisis prevents Ukrainians not only from supporting themselves and their families, but also from living without fear. Instead of contributing fully to our communities, paying taxes, and building stable lives here, they are left vulnerable and unsure of their future.

There is now an initiative called “Let Them Work”, organized by Heartbeat with AP (heartbeatwithap.org), which has already gathered support from organizations, community and church representatives in 12 states. Thousands of Ukrainians are in the same situation, and I urge you to help by supporting efforts to speed up this process so they can work legally and continue contributing positively to our state and our country.

Sincerely,

[Your Name]