

U.S. Supreme Court allows Trump to transfer immigrants to third countries



Washington, June 24 (RHC)-- In a 6-3 ruling, the U.S. Supreme Court has allowed President Trump to resume the hasty transfer of immigrants to third countries, lifting a lower court order that ruled immigrants have the right to challenge their removal.

The case stems from the Trump administration's attempt last month to send eight individuals — mostly from Latin American and Asian countries — to South Sudan. But their plane was diverted to a U.S. military base in Djibouti after a judge intervened.

The court's three liberal justices issued a scathing dissent, accusing their right-wing colleagues of "rewarding lawlessness."

Justice Sonia Sotomayor warned the ruling puts "thousands [at] risk of torture or death."

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