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#### 1. Interpretation: Economic engagement requires direct engagement with the state institutions -- not intermediaries.

Haass and O'Sullivan, 2000 (Richard and Meghan, VP/Director of Foreign Policy Studies + Senior Fellow in the Foreign Policy Studies Program @ Brookings, "Terms of Engagement: Alternatives to Punitive Policies," Survival, p. 2-3 (maybe merge with prior card…)

Architects of engagement strategies can choose from a wide variety of¶ incentives. Economic

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just some of the possible incentives used in the form of¶ engagement.

#### 2. Violation --- the Aff isn’t direct engagement with the government of a topic country.

#### 3. Voting Issue ---

#### a) Predictable Limits --- allowing engagement to non-governmental agencies it creates thousands of potential affs which engage with non-state actors -- kills the negs ability to have case specific strategies --- that’s crucial to advocacy skills.

#### b) Adverse Ground --- forcing the aff to be gov 2 gov ensures clash over the controversy of how to engage, and its effects.

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#### Obama needs house republicans to initiate immigration – they’ll push visas and it’ll get through via compromise

Feere 10/29 (Jon, writer, Washington times, “FEERE: Obama lures Republicans into his immigration trap”)

The morning after a bipartisan vote to reopen the federal government, newspapers ran headlines

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not before giving the Democrats an opportunity to further damage the GOP brand.

#### Economic engagement with Mexico is politically divisive despite supporters

Wilson 13 –(Christopher E., January, Associate at the Mexico Institute of the Woodrow Wilson International. Center for Scholars, “A U.S.-Mexico Economic Alliance: Policy Options for a Competitive Region,” http://www.wilsoncenter.org/sites/default/files/new\_ideas\_us\_mexico\_relations.pdf)

At a time when Mexico is poised to experience robust economic growth, a manufacturing

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action to support regional exporters more politically divisive than it ought to be.

#### High tech reform is key to semiconductors

Toohey 12 (Brian, SIA President, May 24, 2012, “TechElect Advances Proposals to Create and Sustain AmericanJobs”)

A new nonpartisan campaign called TechElect, launched by the Information Technology Industry Council (

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total sales, which is one of the top rates of any industry.

With smart government policies – including investments in basic research, corporate tax reform, and high-skilled immigration reform – the semiconductor industry can continue to create jobs, drive economic growth and develop the technologies needed to solve our most pressing challenges.

**Semiconductors are key to US nuclear modernization**

**Chandratre et al 7**

(V.B. Chandratre et al 7, Menka Tewani, R.S. Shastrakar, V. Shedam, S. K. Kataria and P. K. Mukhopadhyay Electronics Division, Bhabha Atomic Research Centre “AN APPROACH TO MODERNIZING NUCLEAR INSTRUMENTATION: SILICON-BASED SENSORS, ASIC AND HMC” October, <http://www.barc.ernet.in/publications/nl/2007/200710-2.pdf>)

Modernization of nuclear instrumentation is pursued for realizing the goal of compact portable nuclear instruments

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electronics. Rapid developments in semiconductor technology have aided in realizing this concept.

**Loss of US nuclear primacy causes global nuclear war**

**Caves 10**

(John P. Caves Jr., Senior Research Fellow in the Center for the Study of Weapons of Mass Destruction at the National Defense University, January 2010, “Avoiding a Crisis of Confidence in the U.S. Nuclear Deterrent,” Strategic Forum, No. 252)

Perceptions of a compromised U.S. nuclear deterrent as described above would have

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scale far more catastrophic than what nuclear-armed terrorists alone could inflict.

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#### Text: The states of Arizona, California, New Mexico, and Texas should finance transportation projects toward Mexico, including through a bi-national bond financing mechanism.

#### **Counterplan solves – border-states can do it and federal action hinders any chance of solvency**

Olson and Lee 13 (Eric. O, and Erik; “The State of Security in the U.S.-Mexico Border Region: Working Paper Series on the State of the U.S.-Mexico Border” – Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars and North American Center for Transborder Studies from Arizona State University; February 2013; <http://morrisoninstitute.asu.edu/publications-reports/2013-the-state-of-trade-competitiveness-and-economics-well-being-in-the-u.s.-mexico-border-region>)

As the economies, cultures, and destinies of both nations become increasingly intertwined,

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yield significant and important dividends in fighting crime affecting cross-border cities.

#### The CP solves congestion and trade.

MARAD 2011 (U.S. Department of Transportation Maritime Administration, “America’s Marine Highway Report to Congress”, Prepared in Consultation with the Environmental Protection Agency, April 2011, <http://www.marad.dot.gov/documents/MARAD_AMH_Report_to_Congress.pdf>)

America’s Marine Highway can play a role in alleviating this congestion on some of our

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and to facilitate the transition to greater use of this underutilized national asset.

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#### TEXT: The United States federal government should authorize the North American Development Bank to finance transportation infrastructure projects toward Mexico, including through a bi-national bond financing mechanism, so long as projects provide for transportation accessibility.

#### This obsession with mobility within transportation infrastructure is uniquely entrenched in ableism that causes social exclusion

Imrie 2k (Department of Geography, Royal Holloway, University of London Rob Disability and discourses of mobility and movement Environment and Planning volume 32 <http://www.environmentandplanning.com/epa/fulltext/a32/a331.pdf>)

Barnes et al (1999, page 121), for instance, note that UK

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of mobility as ``a messy, unpredictable, diverse and changeable reality''.

#### The impact is Eugenic Violence

Elden, 2002 (Stuart, Professor of Politics at the University Warwick, Boundary 2, 29.2)

The reverse side is the power to allow death. State racism is a recoding

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**men to be killed.** (VS, 180; WK, 136)