REP. BECERRA RELEASES STATEMENT ON DOJ'S CHALLENGE TO ARIZONA IMMIGRATION LAW

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Today, Representative Xavier Becerra (CA-31), Vice Chair of the House Democratic Caucus, released the following statement after the Department of Justice's announcement that it has filed suit against the state of Arizona regarding the recently passed immigration law, SB 1070:

"The American people are rightly frustrated over our broken immigration system and they are asking their government to fix it. A state-by-state patchwork of laws that promote racial profiling is not a solution—in fact, it preempts the constitution and goes against our national character. I support the Justice Department filing suit against Arizona to protect the rights of all people in the United States, as we work in Congress toward comprehensive immigration reform."