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**ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN LEGAL CENTER TO HOLD PRESS BRIEFING ON  
IMPLICATIONS OF ADMINISTRATIVE RELIEF FOR UNDOCUMENTED YOUTH**  
*APALC to go over criteria that would determine who qualifies for deferred action status*

- WHAT:** The Asian Pacific American Legal Center (APALC), a member of the Asian American Center for Advancing Justice, will hold a press briefing on the U.S. government's decision to order relief for undocumented youth.
- WHO:** Stewart Kwoh, APALC Executive Director  
Joyce Noche, APALC Supervising Immigration Attorney  
Neidi Dominguez, DREAM TEAM Los Angeles (who came up with idea for DREAMer administrative relief campaign over a year ago)  
Tam Duong, IRP Special Projects Coordinator, Korean Resource Center
- WHEN:** **10 a.m. Tuesday, June 19, 2012**
- WHERE:** Asian Pacific American Legal Center  
1145 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90017
- WHY:** On Friday, the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) issued an order allowing certain young undocumented immigrants to be able to apply for work authorization and be safe from deportation for a period of two years. This order affects thousands of undocumented Asian American and Pacific Islander young people. APALC and other community leaders will discuss eligibility criteria for deferred action status, help available for those affected in our communities, and potential scams to watch out for.

*The Asian Pacific American Legal Center (APALC), a member of the Asian American Center for Advancing Justice, is the nation's largest Asian American legal and civil rights organization and serves more than 15,000 individuals and organizations every year. Founded in 1983, APALC advocates for civil rights, provide legal services and education, and build coalitions to positively influence and impact Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders and to create a more equitable and harmonious society. Through direct legal services, impact litigation, policy analysis and advocacy, leadership development and capacity building, APALC seeks to serve the most vulnerable members of Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander (NHPI) communities while also building a strong Asian American and NHPI voice for civil rights and social justice.*

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