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I oppose the proposed evidence rule 413.

The new evidence rule will only be used to create a procedural burden on criminal defendants who seek to impeach government witnesses who have been granted a U-Visa by the prosecution. The prosecutor, not the defense, has the ability to grant a U-Visa.

This proposed rule will serves only the interest of making defense impeachment of witnesses more difficult, and is not necessary. Issues of this nature can always be addressed in motions in limine.

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