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protection or protective regulations relevant to them. They include migrant workers, but also locals. Standing argues that this class of