TO THE JUDGE

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Response to respondent and the Judge

I am writing this letter of response to respondent and to the court. I would like to share my interview I had with my consulate. My embassy (Congo) asked me my nationality I said is DRC Congo. he asked me why is Congo I said because I was born in Congo. he asked me when I come in America I said I come in 2018. he asks who I come with I said my grandparent. he asks when you come in America which city you take flight from to come here in America I said Kigali Rwanda. he asks are you Rwandan or Congolese I said second time am Congolese because I was born in Congo. He asks your grandparent where they take flight from to come in America I said Kigali Rwanda. and he said why they want to sent you to Congo if you from Rwanda I said again because I was born in Congo. He said no more question. and said thank you to be honest to me. that was my interview with Congo consulate. But I did ask him, who am I talking to he said DRC consulate. I did not say that I am Rwandan but I admitted that I was born in Congo more than two times. And I said that I come from Rwanda as refugee. I was refugee in Rwanda living in kiziba refugee camp. I did not say that I am Rwandan because I can't prove it all time I had been in Rwanda I never had Rwandan citizenship or any Rwandan legal document except refugee status. DRC Congo declined to make travel document is not my fault and I did no fail to collaborated with ICE to obtain travel document. And because of that there is no significant likelihood to repatriate to Congo in foreseeable reasonable future.

Respondent said I am challenging the denial of my bond. no I am not challenging the denial of my bond. in fact, I submitted my habeas corpus on 04/2025 while my bond application was submitted on 05/2025. All I was trying is to be released as I am mentally passing through a lot off. And I feel helpless due to prolonged detention. And I was told by court lady that if you pass six months after your final order of deportation that you can try custody determination bond application to see if you can get a bond for prolonged detention. And on bond hearing IJ Miles told me that because of my deportation order she don't have jurisdiction to give me a bond. On that day she advised me to file habeas corpus application. But was already filed. The IJ did not ask me if I wanted to reserve my bond appeal or waive it. and I did not file a motion to stay letter to any court. And I think even if I was granted a bond and released this wasn't going to stop my deportation process.

Your honor respondent says that they sure that I will be deported to Rwanda in foreseeable future and that they have submitted a strong evidence of my Rwanda refugee ID card and said that therefore they submit a strong evidence of my Rwandan citizenship. but am **not a Rwandan citizen** and evidence they submitted will prove that I was **in Rwanda** as a refugee from DRC Congo not as Rwandan citizen. And this is not a proof that Rwanda will accept me or make a travel document for me. There is no proof that Rwanda will accept me. And that there is no significant likelihood of being removed to Rwanda in foreseeable likelihood future. Your honor before even such removal to Rwanda take place, US

government must provide me with notice and opportunity to apply for protection as to that other country as well. On my final hearing in immigration court on 03/27/2024 an Immigration Judge asked me if I want to be deported to Rwanda and I said no. and they provided me a copy of Judge decision that I still have and he did not check box to be deported to Rwanda in alternative. But on respondent response I saw that box have been checked that I have to be deported in alternative to Rwanda. I hope and I think that IJ did not order me deported to Rwanda in alternative. Your honor IJ ordered me removed to DRC CONGO and terminated my refugee status. but even as he terminated my refugee status my country, Congo, has been denying me and my family, even when my grandparents were there. For long time ago and now. That lead us to flee Congo for our life. Am still a refugee and I hope I will not be a refugee all my life. I did not choose to be refugee. Your honor I am a person and I am young and I am all ways want to be and do better I have fault went to criminal court and had a probation to prove that even I had fault but is not my character. But with no any chance immigration ordered me removed to Congo without considering my circumstance. Your Honor I have been in ICE Detention for Nineteen (19) months and ICE has done only a Three (3) months custody review after my final order of deportation and served me with a copy of the review, since then I have not seen or been served with any copy of six (6) months or any other custody review.

Your honor I have learned a lot off in my problem. And I can testify that I cannot treat or do any other illegal action Your honor I am not a repeater offender. Your honor I am not a flight risk and that I been fighting my case for my life and to stay with my family- paternal grandparent. I have address where to stay here in America. And I have probation that I was doing good to overcome my fault. And during criminal court when I was on a bond release for four years I had no record of missing any court date or violating my bond condition or my probation condition. During all those time I have never failed, hide or think to flight away from Authority to prevent prosecution all I was trying is to overcome my mistake and help my families. Until Before ICE arrest me on 12/04/2023. And placed me in immigration custody where I have positively undertaken the following courses;

- Anger management
- Child abuse and prevention
- Guide to drug and alcohol abuse
- Adapting to change
- Adult and child CPR
- Safer vehicle operation

Your honor I would like this court to order release from immigration custody on appropriate condition for my circumstances and order to return to lawful employment and no longer be a financial burden to my families and society. Thank you.

References:

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