

NO. 25-1846

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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE SEVENTH CIRCUIT

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ALINA SODEL,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES, ET AL.,

Defendants-Appellants.

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On Appeal from the United States District Court  
for the Northern District of Illinois, No. 24-cv-01886 (Kennelly, J.)

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UNOPPOSED MOTION TO WITHDRAW AND DISMISS APPEAL

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## **Unopposed Motion to Withdraw and Dismiss Appeal**

Defendants-Appellants U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (“USCIS”), USCIS Chicago Field Office, and Kevin Riddle, Director, USCIS Chicago Field Office, hereby requests an order dismissing this appeal pursuant to Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 42(b). In support of this motion, the Government states the following.

1. On March 17, 2025, the district court entered summary judgment in favor of Petitioner-Appellee.
2. On May 15, 2025, the Government timely filed a notice of appeal.
3. The Court has issued a briefing schedule. Dkt. No. 1.
4. No party has filed a brief in this appeal.
5. The Government has determined that appeal is no longer warranted in this matter. The Government therefore wishes to withdraw the instant appeal.

The Government requests that the Court dismiss the instant appeal, with each side to bear its own costs and fees. Undersigned counsel conferred via email with Petitioner-Appellee’s counsel, Aaron Lawee, who stated that Petitioner-Appellee does not oppose dismissal of the



appeal and agreed that each side will bear its own costs and fees.

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