

United States District Court  
Western District of Texas  
San Antonio Division

JohnKennedy Ekene IBE,  
Petitioner,

v.

Pamela Bondi, Attorney General of  
United States, *et al.*,  
Respondents.

No. 5:25-CV-00946-OLG

**Respondents' Advisory to the Court Regarding Petitioner's Release**

Respondents file this Advisory to notify the Court of Petitioner's physical removal from the United States, which action moots this habeas challenge to the legality of his extended detention. *See Bacilio-Sabastian v. Barr*, 980 F.3d 480, 483 (5th Cir. 2020); *Ortez v. Chandler*, 845 F.2d 573, 575 (5th Cir. 1988); *Riley v. I.N.S.*, 310 F.3d 1253, 1257 (10th Cir. 2002); *Virani v. Huron*, 2020 WL 7405655, at \*3 (W.D. Tex. Dec. 17, 2020). On or about August 1, 2025, Petitioner brought this habeas claim, seeking release from detention. ECF No. 1. On September 10, 2025, ICE removed Petitioner. *See* Exh. A at 2 (executed DHS form I-205 (redacted)). The relief Petitioner sought, namely release, has already occurred. This petition is, therefore, moot.

Respectfully submitted,

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#### Certificate of Service

Respondents have not served this *pro se* Petitioner with a copy of this filing, as he is no longer detained at the address on file with the Court. Moreover, the undersigned does not have any forwarding address for Petitioner outside of the United States. As such, service on Petitioner through mail would be futile.

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