

South Texas ICE processing center (78061)

Name: Hadi Najafi

A# :



Date 11/2, 2025

Case#: 5:25.CV.1110.FB

Address: South TX Detention complex 566 Veterans drive
Pearsall TX 78061

TO: U.S. District Court Western

District of Texas San Antonio Division

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CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

BY  DEPUTY CLERK

I submit this paper to support my habeas corpus.

ICE don't care for my suffering in detention. They are

hold me on extensive amount of time. The process

for my removal began on Jan 23, 2025. Four months

after I was ordered removal to IRAN on

Sep 9, 2024. as it stated in Zadvydas v Davis

533 U.S. 678. 122 Sct 2491 150 L.Ed. 2d

653 (2001) and see Id at 699. 700:

when an alien is order to removed, the removal is to occur within a period of 90 days.

I have been detained more than 6th month after my removal has been ordered. even

though cooperating with ICE, I am trying to understand since ICE has the power to

obtain my travel document why I am still in custody.

on march 21, 2025 I had finish with serving the 180 day past order custody review period

(POCR) I had also interviewed and signed all documents that the ICE required

me to sign and so far I am still remain in ICE custody.

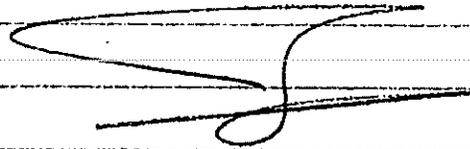
please see the attach case Law 8U S.C 1231(a)(2)

(A) After more than 6 months since the beginning of removal period, my detention has become unreasonably indefinit and ERO took decision to continue my detention on 25 July 2025, After 10 month of my removal order. now I am 410 days after my removal order. This shows completely clear that there is no reasonably foreseeable future for my removal, I am unlawfully held in custody. I have not any lawyer in all my process and I don't have any body in the u.s to help me. your honor judg, It's more than two years I have been suffered and afflicted in ICE custody.

I request relief by release from
detention. I have been imprisoned 25 months since 10,12, 2023.

Sincerely your honor

Hadi Najaf:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Hadi Najaf', written over a horizontal line.

CERTIFICATE OF BAPTISM

Presented to

Hadi Najafi

Go ye therefore and teach all nations, Baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit

Mathew 28:19

Baptism

STIPC

[Signature]
Chaplain Hinojosa J

GEO

05/24/2025

Date of Baptism
Pearsall, Texas

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
NOTICE TO APPEAR

In removal proceedings under section 240 of the Immigration and Nationality Act:

File No: 

In the Matter of:

Respondent: HADI NAJAFI currently residing at
SOUTH TEXAS ICE PROCESSING CENTER; STDC, 566 Veterans Drive, Pearsall, TX 78061

(Number, street, city, state and ZIP code)

(Area code and phone number)

- You are an arriving alien.
- You are an alien present in the United States who has not been admitted or paroled.
- You have been admitted to the United States, but are removable for the reasons stated below.

The Department of Homeland Security alleges that you:

1. You are not a citizen or national of the United States;
2. You are a native of Iran and a citizen of IRAN;
3. You entered the United States at an unknown location on or about 2023-10-12;
4. You did not then possess or present a valid immigrant visa, reentry permit, border crossing identification card, or other valid entry document;
5. You were not then admitted or paroled after inspection by an Immigration Officer.

On the basis of the foregoing, it is charged that you are subject to removal from the United States pursuant to the following provision(s) of law:

Section 212(a)(7)(A)(i)(I) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (Act), as amended, as an immigrant who, at the time of application for admission, is not in possession of a valid unexpired immigrant visa, reentry permit, border crossing card, or other valid entry document required by the Act, and a valid unexpired passport, or other suitable travel document, or document of identity and nationality as required under the regulations issued by the Attorney General under section 211(a) of the Act.

Section 212(a)(6)(A)(i) of the Act, as amended, as an alien present in the United States without being admitted or paroled, or who has arrived in the United States at any time or place other than as designated by the Attorney General.

- This notice is being issued after an asylum officer has found that the respondent has demonstrated a credible fear of persecution or torture.
- Section 235(b)(1) order was vacated pursuant to: 8CFR 208.30 8CFR 235.3(b)(5)(iv)

YOU ARE ORDERED to appear before an Immigration judge of the United States Department of Justice at:
Pearsall EOIR: 566 Veterans Drive, Pearsall, TX 78061

(Complete Address of Immigration Court, including Room Number, if any)

on JUN 05, 2024 at 09:30AM to show why you should not be removed from the United States based on the

(Date)

(Time)

charge(s) set forth above.



Supervisory Asylum Officer

(Signature and Title of Issuing Officer)

Date: 5/20/2024

Houston, TX
(City and State)

Notice to Respondent

Warning: Any statement you make may be used against you in removal proceedings.
Alien Registration: This copy of the Notice to Appear served upon you is evidence of your alien registration while you are in removal proceedings.
You are required to carry it with you at all times.

Representation: If you so choose, you may be represented in this proceeding, at no expense to the Government, by an attorney or other individual authorized and qualified to represent persons before the Executive Office for Immigration Review, pursuant to 8 CFR 1003.16. Unless you so request, no hearing will be scheduled earlier than ten days from the date of this notice, to allow you sufficient time to secure counsel. A list of qualified attorneys and organizations who may be available to represent you at no cost will be provided with this notice.

Conduct of the hearing: At the time of your hearing, you should bring with you any affidavits or other documents that you desire to have considered in connection with your case. If you wish to have the testimony of any witnesses considered, you should arrange to have such witnesses present at the hearing. At your hearing you will be given the opportunity to admit or deny any or all of the allegations in the Notice to Appear, including that you are inadmissible or removable. You will have an opportunity to present evidence on your own behalf, to examine any evidence presented by the Government, to object, on proper legal grounds, to the receipt of evidence and to cross examine any witnesses presented by the Government. At the conclusion of your hearing, you have a right to appeal an adverse decision by the immigration judge. You will be advised by the immigration judge before whom you appear of any relief from removal for which you may appear eligible including the privilege of voluntary departure. You will be given a reasonable opportunity to make any such application to the immigration judge.

One-Year Asylum Application Deadline: If you believe you may be eligible for asylum, you must file a Form I-589, Application for Asylum and for Withholding of Removal. The Form I-589, Instructions, and information on where to file the Form can be found at www.uscis.gov/i-589. Failure to file the Form I-589 within one year of arrival may bar you from eligibility to apply for asylum pursuant to section 208(a)(2)(B) of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

Failure to appear: You are required to provide the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), in writing, with your full mailing address and telephone number. You must notify the Immigration Court and the DHS immediately by using Form EOIR-33 whenever you change your address or telephone number during the course of this proceeding. You will be provided with a copy of this form. Notices of hearing will be mailed to this address. If you do not submit Form EOIR-33 and do not otherwise provide an address at which you may be reached during proceedings, then the Government shall not be required to provide you with written notice of your hearing. If you fail to attend the hearing at the time and place designated on this notice, or any date and time later directed by the Immigration Court, a removal order may be made by the Immigration judge in your absence, and you may be arrested and detained by the DHS.

Mandatory Duty to Surrender for Removal: If you become subject to a final order of removal, you must surrender for removal to your local DHS office, listed on the internet at http://www.ice.gov/contact/ero, as directed by the DHS and required by statute and regulation. Immigration regulations at 8 CFR 1241.1 define when the removal order becomes administratively final. If you are granted voluntary departure and fail to depart the United States as required, fail to post a bond in connection with voluntary departure, or fail to comply with any other condition or term in connection with voluntary departure, you must surrender for removal on the next business day thereafter. If you do not surrender for removal as required, you will be ineligible for all forms of discretionary relief for as long as you remain in the United States and for ten years after your departure or removal. This means you will be ineligible for asylum, cancellation of removal, voluntary departure, adjustment of status, change of nonimmigrant status, registry, and related waivers for this period. If you do not surrender for removal as required, you may also be criminally prosecuted under section 243 of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

U.S. Citizenship Claims: If you believe you are a United States citizen, please advise the DHS by calling the ICE Law Enforcement Support Center toll free at (855) 448-6903.

Sensitive Locations: To the extent that an enforcement action leading to a removal proceeding was taken against Respondent at a location described in 8 U.S.C. § 1229(a)(1), such action complied with 8 U.S.C. § 1387.

Upon information and belief, the language that the alien understands is IRANIAN FARSI / PERSIAN

Request for Prompt Hearing

To expedite a determination in my case, I request this Notice to Appear be filed with the Executive Office for Immigration Review as soon as possible. I waive my right to a 10-day period prior to appearing before an immigration judge and request my hearing be scheduled.

Before:

(Signature of Respondent)

Date:

(Signature and Title of Immigration Officer)

Certificate of Service

This Notice To Appear was served on the respondent by me on 11/06/25, in the following manner and in compliance with section 239(a)(1) of the Act.

- [X] In person [] by certified mail, returned receipt # requested [] by regular mail
[X] Attached is a credible fear worksheet.
[X] Attached is a list of organization and attorneys which provide free legal services.

The alien was provided oral notice in the Persian language of the time and place of his or her hearing and of the consequences of failure to appear as provided in section 240(b)(7) of the Act.

(Signature of Respondent if Personally Served)

(Signature and Title of officer)



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW
PEARSALL IMMIGRATION COURT

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Respondent Name:

NAJAFI, HADI

To:

NAJAFI, HADI
566 VETERAN'S DR.
PEARSALL, TX 78061

A-Number:



Riders:

In Removal Proceedings

Initiated by the Department of Homeland Security

Date:

09/09/2024

- Unable to forward - no address provided.
- Attached is a copy of the decision of the Immigration Judge. This decision is final unless an appeal is filed with the Board of Immigration Appeals within 30 calendar days of the date of the mailing of this written decision. See the enclosed forms and instructions for properly preparing your appeal. Your notice of appeal, attached documents, and fee or fee waiver request must be mailed to:

Board of Immigration Appeals
Office of the Clerk
P.O. Box 8530
Falls Church, VA 22041

- Attached is a copy of the decision of the immigration judge as the result of your Failure to Appear at your scheduled deportation or removal hearing. This decision is final unless a Motion to Reopen is filed in accordance with Section 242B(c)(3) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. § 1252B(c)(3) in deportation proceedings or section 240(b)(5)(c), 8 U.S.C. § 1229a(b)(5)(c) in removal proceedings. If you file a motion to reopen, your motion must be filed with this court:

Immigration Court

- Attached is a copy of the decision of the immigration judge relating to a Reasonable Fear Review. This is a final order. Pursuant to 8 C.F.R. § 1208.31(g)(1), no administrative appeal is available. However, you may file a petition for review within 30 days with the appropriate Circuit Court of Appeals to appeal this decision pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1252; INA § 242.
- Attached is a copy of the decision of the immigration judge relating to a Credible Fear Review. This is a final order. No appeal is available.

Other:
Final Order; both parties waive appeal

Date: 09/09/2024



Immigration Judge: Veronica M. Segovia 09/09/2024

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Respondent Name : NAJAFI, HADI | A-Number : 

Riders:

Date: 09/09/2024 By: Gutierrez, Rachel, Court Staff



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ORDER OF THE IMMIGRATION JUDGE

- This is a summary of the oral decision entered on 09/09/2024. The oral decision in this case is the official opinion, and the immigration court issued this summary for the convenience of the parties.
- Both parties waived the issuance of a formal oral decision in this proceeding.

I. Removability

The immigration court found Respondent removable inadmissible under the following Section(s) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA or Act): 212(a)(7)(A)(i)(I) and 212(a)(6)(A)(i)

The immigration court found Respondent not removable not inadmissible under the following Section(s) of the Act:

II. Applications for Relief

Respondent's application for:

A. Asylum/Withholding/Convention Against Torture

- Asylum was granted denied withdrawn with prejudice withdrawn without prejudice
- Withholding of Removal under INA § 241(b)(3) was granted denied withdrawn with prejudice withdrawn without prejudice
- Withholding of Removal under the Convention Against Torture was granted denied withdrawn with prejudice withdrawn without prejudice
- Deferral of Removal under the Convention Against Torture was granted denied withdrawn with prejudice withdrawn without prejudice
- Respondent knowingly filed a frivolous application for asylum after notice of the consequences. *See* INA § 208(d)(6); 8 C.F.R. §1208.20

B. Cancellation of Removal

- Cancellation of Removal for Lawful Permanent Residents under INA § 240A(a) was granted denied withdrawn with prejudice withdrawn without prejudice
- Cancellation of Removal for Nonpermanent Residents under INA § 240A(b)(1) was granted denied withdrawn with prejudice withdrawn without prejudice
- Special Rule Cancellation of Removal under INA § 240A(b)(2) was granted denied withdrawn with prejudice withdrawn without prejudice

C. Waiver

- A waiver under INA § was granted denied withdrawn with prejudice withdrawn without prejudice

D. Adjustment of Status

- Adjustment of Status under INA § was granted denied withdrawn with prejudice withdrawn without prejudice

E. Other

III. Voluntary Departure

- Respondent's application for pre-conclusion voluntary departure under INA § 240B(a) post-conclusion voluntary departure under INA § 240B(b) was denied.
- Respondent's application for pre-conclusion voluntary departure under INA § 240B(a) post-conclusion voluntary departure under INA § 240B(b) was granted, and Respondent is ordered to depart by . The respondent must post a \$ bond with DHS within five business days of this order. Failure to post the bond as required or to depart by the required date will result in an alternate order of removal to taking effect immediately.
- The respondent is subject to the following conditions to ensure his or her timely departure from the United States:
 - Further information regarding voluntary departure has been added to the record.
 - Respondent was advised of the limitation on discretionary relief, the consequences for failure to depart as ordered, the bond posting requirements, and the consequences of filing a post-order motion to reopen or reconsider:

If Respondent fails to voluntarily depart within the time specified or any extensions granted by the DHS, Respondent shall be subject to a civil monetary penalty as provided by relevant statute, regulation, and policy. *See* INA § 240B(d)(1). The immigration court has set

- the presumptive civil monetary penalty amount of \$3,000.00 USD
- \$ USD instead of the presumptive amount.

If Respondent fails to voluntarily depart within the time specified, the alternate order of removal shall automatically take effect, and Respondent shall be ineligible, for a period of

10 years, for voluntary departure or for relief under sections 240A, 245, 248, and 249 of the Act, to include cancellation of removal, adjustment of status, registry, or change of nonimmigrant status. *Id.* If Respondent files a motion to reopen or reconsider prior to the expiration of the voluntary departure period set forth above, the grant of voluntary departure is automatically terminated; the period allowed for voluntary departure is not stayed, tolled, or extended. If the grant of voluntary departure is automatically terminated upon the filing of such a motion, the penalties for failure to depart under section 240B(d) of the Act shall not apply.

If Respondent appeals this decision, Respondent must provide to the Board of Immigration Appeals (Board), within 30 days of filing an appeal, sufficient proof of having posted the voluntary departure bond. The Board will not reinstate the voluntary departure period in its final order if Respondent does not submit timely proof to the Board that the voluntary departure bond has been posted.

In the case of conversion to a removal order where the alternate order of removal immediately takes effect, where Respondent willfully fails or refuses to depart from the United States pursuant to the order of removal, to make timely application in good faith for travel or other documents necessary to depart the United States, to present himself or herself at the time and place required for removal by the DHS, or conspires to or takes any action designed to prevent or hamper Respondent's departure pursuant to the order of removal, Respondent may be subject to a civil monetary penalty for each day Respondent is in violation. If Respondent is removable pursuant to INA § 237(a), then he or she shall be further fined or imprisoned for up to 10 years.

IV. Removal

- Respondent was ordered removed to Iran
- In the alternative, Respondent was ordered removed to
- Respondent was advised of the penalties for failure to depart pursuant to the removal order:

If Respondent is subject to a final order of removal and willfully fails or refuses to depart from the United States pursuant to the order, to make timely application in good faith for travel or other documents necessary to depart the United States, to present himself or herself at the time and place required for removal by the DHS, or conspires to or takes any action designed to prevent or hamper Respondent's departure pursuant to the order of removal, Respondent may be subject to a civil monetary penalty for each day Respondent is in violation. If Respondent is removable pursuant to INA § 237(a), then he or she shall be further fined or imprisoned for up to 10 years.

V. Other

- Proceedings were dismissed terminated with prejudice
 terminated without prejudice administratively closed.
- Respondent's status was rescinded under INA § 246.
- Other:



Immigration Judge: Veronica M. Segovia 09/09/2024

Appeal: Department of Homeland Security: waived reserved
Respondent: waived reserved

Appeal Due:

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CASA MARIANELLA
821 Gunter Street • Austin, TX 78702
Tel: (512) 385-5571 • Fax: (512) 842-9360
supportletters@casamarianella.org
www.casamarianella.org

October 21, 2024

Hadi Najafi

A#

Country of Origin: Iran

South Texas Detention Facility
566 Veterans Dr
Pearsall, TX 78061

To whom it may concern,

Casa Marianella agrees to receive Hadi Najafi. Casa Marianella is a shelter that serves immigrants, asylum-seekers, and asylees. We provide housing, case management, transportation (including bus fare from detention), and other supportive services to such individuals. We are located at 821 Gunter Street, Austin, Texas 78702, and our office phone number is (512) 385-5571. Our phone line is often busy; to confirm sponsorship of Hadi Najafi, it is best to contact the shelter's Support Letter Team at supportletters@casamarianella.org, with the individual's name and A# as the subject. Casa Marianella is not open to the public, and we do not accept everyone who applies to stay with us. We have a strict screening process of individuals that contact us while in ICE custody, and Hadi Najafi clearly meets all of our criteria.

Casa Marianella has been operating since 1986 and has welcomed residents from over 40 countries. Casa Marianella offers a wide variety of services to both residents and the greater immigrant community in Austin. Casa Marianella staff, who are present on site at all times, are trained and experienced in working with immigrants and refugees.

Upon arriving, each resident of Casa Marianella has access to a case manager who can support the individual in various capacities: obtaining services in the community, monitoring their behavior and well-being in the shelter, and ensuring that the individual attends ICE appointments and court dates. Casa Marianella can also connect residents to medical care and legal assistance.

Residents of Casa Marianella are expected to abide by strict house rules and participate in upkeep of the house. The residents participate in household chores every day, and they are expected to keep their

bed and belongings clean and orderly. The shelter has a strict curfew the residents must abide by, and each resident is required to attend a nightly meeting. While living at Casa Marianella, Hadi Najafi will be expected to abide by house rules, abstain from drugs/alcohol, and refrain from the use of violence in any form.

Casa Marianella specializes in working with and managing asylum seekers while their immigration claims are pending, and we have extensive experience in this area. Casa Marianella staff assist residents in exiting the shelter and building self-sufficiency. In recent years, over 90% of residents who have exited the shelter have successfully transitioned into permanent housing.

In addition to shelter, case management, and access to legal and medical resources, residents at Casa Marianella can receive clothing and food. If they do not already speak English, residents are required to attend English classes four nights per week.

Casa Marianella's mission is to provide hospitality to immigrants and refugees. We appreciate the opportunity to serve refugees in need of housing during their immigration process. Thank you for your attention to this urgent matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Makenna Brandt', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Makenna Brandt
Operations Coordinator
Casa Marianella



**Recursos de Ley de Inmigración - Organizaciones Sin Fines de Lucro /
Immigration Law Resources - Non-Profit Organizations**

Catholic Charities Office of Immigrant Concerns - Central Texas: 512-651-6100, www.ccctx.org

Areas of assistance: Adjustment of Status, Asylum applications, Consular Processing, Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA), Employment authorization, Family-based petitions, Humanitarian Parole, NACARA, Naturalization/Citizenship, Removal hearings, Special Immigrant Juvenile Status, T visas, Temporary Protected Status (TPS), U visas, Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) petitions

RAICES Austin: 512-994-2199, www.raicestexas.org

Areas of assistance: Adjustment of Status, Asylum applications, Consular Processing, Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA), Employment authorization, Family-based petitions, Habeas Corpus, Humanitarian Parole, NACARA, Naturalization/Citizenship, Removal hearings, Special Immigrant Juvenile Status, Special Immigrant Visa (SIV), T visas, Temporary Protected Status (TPS), U visas, Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) petitions

Bernardo Kohler Center: 512-831-4272, www.bernardokohler.org

Areas of assistance: Family-based petitions, Naturalization/Citizenship, Adjustment of Status, Special Immigrant Juvenile Status, T visas, U visas, Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) petitions

Texas Rio Grande Legal Aid of Austin: 956-996-8725, www.trla.org

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Equal Justice Center: 888-670-6854, www.equaljusticecenter.org

Areas of assistance: DACA Renewals

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RAICES

South Texas Detention Center
566 Veterans Drive
Pearsall, Tx 78061

July 2, 2025

Dear Hadi Najofi,

Thank you for reaching out to RAICES.

Unfortunately, RAICES does not have the capacity to take on cases from detained individuals in your location at this time and therefore, we are unable to represent you in your case. We encourage you to seek help from other legal resources that may be available to you.

Attached is a list of other organizations and resources that may be able to assist you with your legal needs

In addition to these organizations, you can also ask the immigration judge for a list of organizations that serve your detention center.

At your court hearings, you can ask the judge for more time to find an attorney, but it is the judge's decision whether to give you that extra time. If you are struggling to understand what is happening in court, either because of the words the judge and prosecutor are using or because of issues with the interpreter, please tell the judge right away.

If you need further assistance or information, we recommend that you contact one of the organizations listed above directly. They may be able to provide you with the support you need.



TRLA
Texas RioGrande Legal Aid

Phone: 956-996-8752 | Toll Free: 833-329-8752 | Fax: 956-591-8752 | www.trla.org
316 South Closner Blvd. Edinburg, TX 78539

June 9, 2025

Hadi Najafi

A# 

So. Texas Detention Center
566 Veterans Blvd.
Pearsall, Tx 78601

Dear Hadi Najafi:

You contacted Texas RioGrande Legal Aid, Inc. (TRLA) because you need assistance with an immigration matter. Unfortunately, far more people request assistance from TRLA than we have the capacity to help. TRLA is unable to provide you with advice or representation at this time.

If the facility where you are detained has a Legal Orientation Program (LOP) provider, we recommend that you speak with them about your case and request representation.

You also have the option of hiring a private lawyer. If you need help finding a lawyer, you can call the Lawyer Referral Service of the State Bar of Texas at: 1-800-252-9690. Remember that while you have the right to be represented by a lawyer in immigration court, the government will not provide you with one. If you wish to be represented by a lawyer, you are responsible for finding one.

If you are unable to find a lawyer, or while you are searching for one, you can contact the American Bar Association Detention and LOP Information Line by dialing 2150# from the detention center. This hotline helps people in immigration detention who must appear before the judge without an attorney.

To stay informed about the date of your next hearing before the immigration court, you can always call the immigration court hotline at 1-800-898-7180. You will have to enter your A number, which is the number in your immigration case that has nine digits and starts with the letter "A." A recording will tell you the date and time of your next hearing.

Sincerely,

TEXAS RIOGRANDE LEGAL AID

Linley Boone /s/

Linley Boone
Attorney at Law/TAJ Director



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July 24, 2025

Hadi Najafi

A# [REDACTED]

South Texas Detention Center
566 Veterans Drive
Pearsall, TX 78061

Dear Mr. Najafi,

Thank you for your letter. I am not your attorney, and the following information is not legal advice. Unfortunately, we cannot provide you with legal representation at this time as we do not have the resources to take your case.

We are a small non-profit organization with limited resources and cannot accept all the cases we review. This does not mean that your case has no merit.

Enclosed you'll find a list of other non-profit organizations in your area that specialize in immigration cases. You may wish to contact one or more of these organizations to see if they can help you with your case. In addition, you may call the Lawyer Referral Service (800) 252-9690 for private immigration attorneys.

I apologize that we cannot offer you any further services at this time. I wish you the best of luck in your case.

Sincerely,

Alejandrina Luna
Staff Attorney
American Gateways

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RAICES

Thank you again for contacting us, and we wish you the best in your efforts to secure legal representation.

Sincerely,

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Tel: 833-3RAICES

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San Antonio, Texas 78217



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C/O Immigration and Customs Enforcement
San Antonio Field Office



Decision to Continue Detention

This letter is to inform you that your custody status has been reviewed, and it has been determined that you will not be released from the custody of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) at this time. This decision has been made based on a review of your file, and upon review of the factors for consideration set forth at 8 C.F.R. § 241.4(e), (f), and (g).

As explained below, after such review, ICE has determined to maintain your custody because:

- ICE is in receipt of or expects to receive the necessary travel documents to effectuate your removal, and removal is practicable, likely to occur in the reasonably foreseeable future, and in the public interest.

ICE has made such determination based upon: that you are under a final order of removal and removal is likely to occur in the reasonably foreseeable future.

Based on the above, you are to remain in ICE custody pending your removal from the United States as ICE is unable to conclude that the factors set forth at 8 C.F.R. § 241.4(e) have been satisfied. You are advised that you must demonstrate that you are making reasonable efforts to comply with the order of removal and that you are cooperating with ICE's efforts to remove you by taking whatever actions ICE requests to affect your removal. You are also advised that any willful failure or refusal on your part to make timely application in good faith for travel or other documents necessary for your departure, or any conspiracy or actions to prevent your removal or obstruct the issuance of a travel document, may subject you to criminal prosecution under 8 U.S.C. § 1253(a).

If you have not been released or removed from the United States at the expiration of the three-month period after this 90-day review, jurisdiction of the custody decision in your case will be transferred to the ICE Headquarters (ERO Removal Division), Potomac Center North, 500 12th

www.ice.gov

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Street SW, Washington, DC 20536. The ERO Removal Division will thereafter conduct a custody review and will make a determination regarding whether you will continue to be detained pending removal or may be released.

To assist in the ERO Removal Division custody review, you will be afforded a personal interview. You and your representative who has filed a Form G-28, Notice of Entry of Appearance, if any, will be notified of the date and time of the interview approximately 30 days prior to the scheduled interview date. This interview may be in person or through a video teleconference. If ERO needs to change the date of the interview, ERO will provide notice to you and your representative who has filed a Form G-28, Notice of Entry of Appearance, if any.

You may be accompanied during the interview by a person of your choice, subject to security requirements at the detention facility, as long as this person is able to attend the interview at the scheduled time.

You may submit any additional documentation in English you wish to be considered in support of your release at the time of the interview or via mail service up to five business days prior to the scheduled time of your interview to the following address:

**South Texas ICE Processing Center
566 Veterans Drive
Pearsall, TX 78061**

Such documentation should contain a cover letter indicating that the material is submitted in support of your Post Order Custody Review personal interview. An attorney or other person may submit materials on your behalf.

You are required to complete the below information.

I do _____ do not _____ want a personal interview.

If you do want an interview, please check the appropriate box(es) below:

- Check this box if you need an interpreter for your interview.
Language/Dialect: _____
- I will be assisted at this interview by a representative of my own choosing.

Name: _____

If your representative has not filed a G-28, Notice of Entry of Appearance, on your behalf, you are responsible for notifying any other person you have selected to assist you of the date, time, and location of the interview. The representative must be at least 18 years of age.

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You will be sent a separate Notice to Alien of Interview for Review of Custody Status approximately 30 days before the interview is scheduled. If you wish to request additional time to prepare for the interview, you must notify your deportation officer within five business days of receipt of the Notice of Interview. If ERO agrees to postpone the interview at your request, you will be deemed to have waived its completion prior to jurisdiction over your case transferring to the ERO Removal Division.

You will be notified of the decision in your case when the custody review has been concluded by the ERO Removal Division.


Acting Deputy Field Office Director, Daniel Subia

7/25/25
Date

PROOF OF SERVICE

(Officer to complete both (a) and (b) below.)

(a) I R. Molina, Deportation Officer,
Name of ICE Officer Title
certify that I served Hadi NAJAFI with a copy of
Name of detainee
this document at STIPC on 7/15/25, at 1:15 PM.
Institution Date Time

(b) I certify that I served the custodian R. Aguilar,
Name of Official
Deportation Officer, at STIPC, on
Title Institution
7/25/25 with a copy of this document.
Date

Detainee Signature:  Date: 7/25/25

(x) cc: Attorney of Record or Designated Representative
(x) cc: A-File

U.S Department of Homeland Security
Immigration and Customs Enforcement

Warning for Failure to Depart

Name: NAJAFI, Hadl	Field Office: ERO/STIPC	File #:
<p>Section 243(a) of the Immigration and Nationality Act provides, in part, that:</p> <p>Any alien against whom a final order of removal is outstanding by reason of being a member of any of the classes described in section 237(a) who--</p> <p>(A) willfully fails or refuses to depart from the United States within a period of 90 days* from the date of the final order of removal under administrative processes, or if judicial review is had, then from the date of the final order of the court,</p> <p>(B) willfully fails or refuses to make timely application in good faith for travel or other documents necessary to the alien's departure,</p> <p>(C) connives or conspires, or takes any other action, designed to prevent or hamper or with the purpose of preventing or hampering the alien's departure pursuant to such, or</p> <p>(D) willfully fails or refuses to present himself or herself for removal at the time and place required by the Attorney General pursuant to such order,</p> <p>shall be fined under title 18, United States Code, or imprisoned not more than four years (or 10 years if the alien is a member of any of the classes described in paragraph (1)(E), (2), (3), or (4) of section 237(a)), or both.</p> <p>Nothing in this section shall make it a violation to take proper steps for the purpose of securing cancellation of or exemption from such order of removal or for the purpose of securing the alien's release from incarceration or custody.</p> <p>Any action Immigration and Customs Enforcement may take to obtain a travel document for your departure or to remove you will <i>NOT</i> relieve you of the liability for compliance with the provisions of law referred to in the first paragraph above.</p> <p>* Section 241(a)(1)(C) provides for the extension of the statutory removal period if the alien refuses, during the removal period, to make application in good faith, for a travel or other document necessary for the alien's removal or departure or conspires or acts to prevent the alien's removal subject to an order of removal.</p>		
Date Order Final: 9/9/2024	Ordered Removed under Section: 212 (a)(7)(A)(i)(I) of the INA	
Record of Service (Check method used)		
Record of Personal Service		
Served by: (Print Name and Title of Officer) R. Molina, Deportation Officer	Date: 7/24/2025	
Officer's Signature: 	Location of Service: ERO/STIPC Pearsall, Tx	
Served On: (Alien's Signature) 	Date: 7/24/2025	
Warning administered in Court (Copy of order attached)		Record of Personal Service (Cont.)
Certified Mail Service		Fingerprint of Alien (Specify finger used)
Attach certified mail receipts here.		Fingerprints on file.

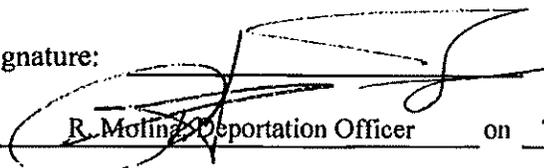
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INSTRUCTION SHEET TO DETAINEE REGARDING REQUIREMENT TO ASSIST IN REMOVAL

The following is a list of things you are required to complete within 30 days of receiving this form, in order comply with your obligation to assist in obtaining a travel document:

Mandatory requirements will be checked off by the ICE officer depending on the facts of each case. Failure to comply or provide sufficient evidence of your inability to comply, may result in the extension of the removal period and subject you to further detention. In addition, you may be subject to criminal prosecution. If you need assistance in complying with any of the requirements, please contact a Deportation Officer.

- Submit passports (current and expired) to ICE. If you have a copy of your passport you are to submit it.
- Apply for a travel document/passport from your embassy or consulate, or directly from your government in your native country, or any other embassy or consulate of your native country in another country.
- Comply with all instructions from all embassies or consulates requiring completion of documentation for issuance of a travel document.
- Submit to ICE birth certificates, national identification cards, and any other document issued by a foreign government indicating your citizenship, nationality, place of birth, and place of residence prior to entering the United States.
- Provide names and addresses of family and friends residing in the United States and request that they contact your embassy or consulate in the United States, in order to facilitate the issuance of a travel document.
- Provide names and addresses of family and friends residing in your country of citizenship and request family and friends residing abroad contact your government in reference to issuing a travel document.
- You are required to take measures to request reinstatement of your previous nationality, register as required, or take any other action that will ensure the issuance of a travel document and your removal from the United States.
- Provide ICE with written copies of requests to embassies or consulates requesting issuance of a travel document.
- Provide ICE with written copies of responses from embassies or consulates regarding your requests.
- Solicit permission from another country, which may be able to accept you, to enter that country to affect your removal from the United States.
- Provide your true and correct name and date of birth and any other identities you have ever used.
- Other: You are required to cooperate with any effort to effect your removal from the United States

Alien's Signature:



A Number:



Served by: R. Molina, Deportation Officer on 7/24/2025 at ERO/STIPC Pearsall, Tx

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South Texas Detention Complex*
U.S. Department of Homeland Security
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Notice to Alien of Custody Review

You are detained in the custody of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and you are required to cooperate with ICE in effecting your removal from the United States. If ICE has not removed you from the United States within the removal period as set forth in INA 241(a) (normally 90-days of either: 1) your entering ICE custody with a final order of removal, deportation or exclusion, or 2) the date of any final order you receive while you are in ICE custody), ICE's Deciding Official will review your case for consideration of release on an Order of Supervision. Release, however, is dependent on your demonstrating to the satisfaction of the Attorney General that you will not pose a danger to the community and will not present a flight risk.

Your custody status will be reviewed on or about: 07/31/2025. The Deciding Official may consider, but is not limited to considering the following:

1. Criminal convictions and criminal conduct;
2. Other criminal and immigration history;
3. Sentence(s) imposed and time actually served;
4. History of escapes, failures to appear for judicial or other proceedings, and other defaults;
5. Probation history;
6. Disciplinary problems while incarcerated;
7. Evidence of rehabilitative effort or recidivism;
8. Equities in the United States;
9. Cooperation in obtaining your travel document.
10. Any available mental health reports.

You may submit any documentation you wish to be reviewed in support of your release, prior to the date listed above, to the attention of the Officer and address below. English translations must be provided pursuant to 8 CFR 103.2(b)(3). An attorney or other person may submit materials on your behalf. The deciding official will notify you of the decision in your case. Attached to this notice is a list of free or low cost legal representatives who may be able to provide assistance to you in preparing your case.

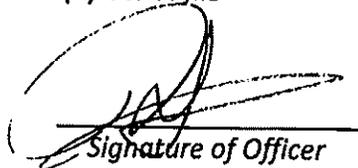
U.S. Department of Homeland Security
Immigration and Customs Enforcement

METHOD OF SERVICE

I certify that this form was provided to the alien by: Hand Institutional Mail

() CC: Attorney of Record or Designated Representative

(X) CC: A-file


Signature of Officer

R. Molina, Deportation Officer
Print Name of Officer

7/24/2025
Date

**SOUTH TEXAS ICE PROCESSING CENTER
DETAINEE REQUEST FORM:**

Date: 01/29/25

Solicitud para el

Request For / Solicitud Para / 请求:



Name/ Nombre/ 名字: Hadinafa

A-Number/ Numero De Inmigracion / 外籍人数字: [REDACTED]

Date of Birth/ Fecha de Nacimiento / 出生日期: 01/27/86

Dorm/ Dormitorio/ 宿舍: FD Bunk Number/ Número de Cama / 床铺数字: 44

Department:

For Court info/dates -> Please call (Tolton Speed Dial): 111#

ICE: () Case Information () Other
GEO: () Law library () Laundry () Kitchen / Work Request () Finance/ Funds () Property

() Classification () Commissary () Visitation () Mail

() Religious Services / Diets () Indigent/ Emergency Phone Call () Other

Specific Question and/or need/Pregunta y/o necesidad especifica/问题:

I ask to explain about my because im 48 months in jail and 7 months stay
for deport. How long must I stay here?

Response:

Agent / Officer:

Date:

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
Immigration and Customs Enforcement

Log Number



Detainee Request Form

Facility Name

SOUTH TEXAS DETENTION
COMPLEX

Detainee "A" Number:

A



Najafi

Detainee Last Name:

Hadi

First Name:

COC

IRAN

Your Question

[Redacted question area]

Date Received:

4/9/2025

ICE Response

The officer handling your case is working on getting you a travel document from your country.

Reply Date:

4/9/2025

ICE officer:

M. Valdez

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Notice to Alien of Interview for Review of Custody Status

U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) periodically reviews the custody status of detained aliens who have final orders of removal, deportation, or exclusion. You are required to cooperate with ICE in effecting your removal from the United States.

In determining whether you may be recommended for release, ICE will consider whether there is a significant likelihood of your removal in the reasonably foreseeable future, and whether you pose a danger to the community or pose a risk of flight.

You will be interviewed for this purpose and you are scheduled to appear for this interview on: 07/31/2025 at: 1500 , at South Texas ICE Processing Center to discuss whether or not you will be recommended for release. If you wish for additional time to prepare for the interview, you may request that the interview date be postponed. If the hearing is rescheduled at your request, you waive the right to have the interview prior to the date that jurisdiction over your custody status shifts to the Enforcement and Removal Operations Removal Division under 8 C.F.R. § 241.4(c)(2).

In determining whether you may be released, ICE may consider, but is not limited to considering the following:

1. Whether your removal is significantly likely in the reasonably foreseeable future;
2. Criminal convictions and criminal conduct;
3. Other criminal history and immigration history;
4. Sentence(s) imposed and time actually served;
5. History of escapes, failures to appear for judicial or other proceedings, and other defaults;
6. Probation history;
7. Disciplinary problems while incarcerated;
8. Evidence of rehabilitative effort or recidivism;
9. Equities in the United States;
10. Cooperation in obtaining your travel document; and
11. Any available mental health reports.

You are required to complete the information on the following page. You will be notified of the decision in your case when the custody review has been concluded.

Najafi, Hadi

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I do do not want a personal interview.

If you want an interview, please check the appropriate box(es) below:

Check this box if you need an interpreter for your interview.

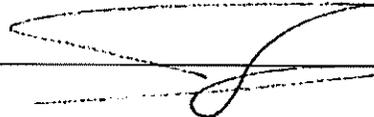
Language/Dialect: Farsi

I will be assisted at this interview by a representative of my own choosing.

Name: N/A

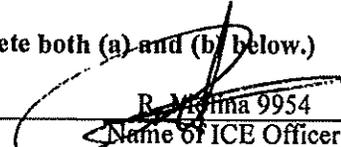
I understand I must notify this person of the time and place of my interview. The representative must be at least 18 years of age.

You may submit any additional documentation you wish to be considered in support of your release at the time of your interview. English translations must be provided pursuant to 8 C.F.R. § 103.2(b)(3).

Signature of Respondent: 

PROOF OF SERVICE

(Officer to complete both (a) and (b) below.)

(a) I  R. Medina 9954, Deportation Officer,
Name of ICE Officer Title

certify that I served Najafi, Hadi with a copy of
Name of detainee
this document at South Texas ICE Processing Center on 07/24/2025, at 1300.
Institution Date Time

(b) I certify that I served the custodian _____,
Name of Official

_____, at _____, on _____,
Title Institution
with a copy of this document.
Date

- cc: Attorney of Record or Designated Representative
- cc: A-File

