

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

FRANKLIN EZEQUIEL SALGADO  
BUSTOS,

Case No. 25-cv-13202

Petitioner,

Hon. Nancy G. Edmunds  
Magistrate Judge Kimberly G. Altman

Kevin RAYCRAFT, et al.,

Respondents.

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**EX PARTE REQUEST TO EXCEED PAGE LIMITS  
TO PETITIONER'S REPLY BRIEF**

Pursuant to Local Rules 7.1(d)(3) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 1, Petitioner Franklin Ezequiel Salgado Bustos, through his attorneys Blanchard & Walker, PLLC, hereby seeks leave to exceed the page limits of his Reply Brief from seven pages to twenty-five pages. Respondents' response brief (ECF No. 5, PageID.32-52) and accompanying declaration and exhibits (ECF No. 5-2, PageID.55-66), contains facts and documents not previously available to Petitioner and raises jurisdictional and exhaustion arguments not addressed in Petitioner' habeas petition. Petitioner and his counsel should be provided an opportunity to fully brief the Court on these factual developments and issues. Furthermore, allowing Petitioner to completely set forth the legal analysis that supports the relief he seeks is in the interest of just, speedy, and inexpensive determination of his claims. Fed. R. Civ. P. 1.

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