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10 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
11 **SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

12 LEOBARDO MEDINA-ORTIZ,  
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14 Petitioner,  
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16 v.  
17 KRISTI NOEM, Secretary, U.S.  
Department of Homeland Security, *et al.*,  
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19 Respondents.

Case No.: 3:25-cv-2819-DMS-MMP  
**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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1 Respondents hereby provide notice of an appeal to the United States Court of  
2 Appeals for the Ninth Circuit from the Order Granting Petitioner’s Habeas Corpus Petition  
3 (ECF No. 7), entered on October 30, 2025. This order is an appealable final judgment under  
4 28 U.S.C. § 1291. *See* ECF No. 8 (Judgment). The United States Attorney’s Office is  
5 seeking approval to pursue this appeal from the Solicitor General. Respondents filed this  
6 Notice to preserve their rights.

7 DATED: December 30, 2025

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