

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MAINE**

JESSICA FERNANDES MORAES,

Petitioner,

v.

No. 2:25-cv-00583-JAW

KEVIN JOYCE, Sheriff of Cumberland  
County; DAVID WESLING, Acting  
Director of Boston Field Office, U.S.  
Immigration and Customs Enforcement;  
TODD LYONS, Acting Director, U.S.  
Immigration and Customs Enforcement;  
KRISTI NOEM, Secretary, U.S.  
Department of Homeland Security; and  
PAMELA BONDI, Attorney General of the  
United States,

Respondents.

**SECOND STATUS REPORT**

The Federal Respondents, by and through undersigned counsel, file this second Status Report in response to the Court's Order on Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus (Dkt. #14 at 5, Dec. 2, 2025), requiring that the Government

shall provide Ms. Moraes a bond hearing in accordance with 8 U.S.C. § 1226(a)(2) within fourteen days of the date of this order. Lastly, the Court ORDERS Respondents to file a status report within five days of Ms. Moraes's bond hearing, stating whether Ms. Moraes has been granted bond, and, if her request was denied, the reasons for that denial.

*Id.*

As previously submitted, a bond hearing was provided for Petitioner, initially scheduled for December 16, 2025. The bond hearing did not proceed, however, because—as confirmed by her counsel—Petitioner was unaware of its scheduling. The bond hearing was rescheduled for December 29, 2025. Undersigned counsel files this second status report to confirm that Petitioner was granted bond on such date.

Dated: December 30, 2025  
Bangor, Maine

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on December 30, 2025, I electronically filed the foregoing Notice of Appearance using the Court's CM/ECF system, which will send notifications of such filing to the individuals and entities who have entered appearances in this case.

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