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Via ECF

Honorable Renée Marie Bumb, C.U.S.D.J.
Mitchell H. Cohen Building & U.S. Courthouse
4th & Cooper Streets
Camden, NJ 08101

**Re: *Gao v. Bondi*, No. 25-18013
Status Update Regarding Bond**

Dear Chief Judge Bumb:

This Office represents Respondents in this habeas matter filed by a noncitizen challenging the legality of his detention by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement ("ICE") pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1225(b)(2). We write to inform the Court that Petitioner's bond hearing occurred on December 18, and the immigration judge granted release under bond of \$10,000.

We thank the Court for its attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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