

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
DALLAS DIVISION**

CHANDA ROEUN,

Petitioner,

v.

WARDEN of the Prairieland Detention Center;  
JOSHUA JOHNSON, Acting Dallas Field  
Office Director of ICE; TODD LYONS, Acting  
Director of U.S. Immigration and Customs  
Enforcement; KRISTI NOEM, Secretary of the  
U.S. Department of Homeland Security; and  
PAMELA BONDI, Attorney General of the  
United States,

Respondents.

Civil Action No. 3:25-CV-03361-E

**PETITIONER'S THIRD SUPPLEMENT TO (1) PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS  
CORPUS AND (2) EMERGENCY MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING  
ORDER AND PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION**

Petitioner CHANDA ROEUN ("Roeun" or "Petitioner"), by and through undersigned counsel, files this Third Supplement to (1) Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus and (2) Emergency Motion for Temporary Restraining Order and Preliminary Injunction.

**I. SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION**

1. As Petitioner previously mentioned in his Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus (ECF No. 1), Emergency Motion for Temporary Restraining Order (ECF No. 2), Supplemental Memorandum in Support for Temporary Restraining Order and Preliminary Injunction (ECF No. 8), and Second Supplement to (1) Petition for Writ Habeas Corpus and (2) Emergency Motion for Temporary Restraining Order and Preliminary Injunction (ECF. No. 9), Petitioner initiated steps to vacate his 1999 criminal conviction, which served as the basis for his immigration removal

proceedings. More specifically, on or about November 5, 2025, Petitioner filed a Motion to Vacate his California Penal Code §211 (Robbery), §245(a)(2) (Assault with a Firearm), and §136.1(b)(1) (Dissuading a Witness) conviction before the Superior Court of the State California in Los Angeles County (the “LA Court”). Petitioner’s motion argued that said conviction suffered from an underlying constitutional defect—namely, that he was deprived of the ability to meaningfully understand and knowingly accept the life-altering consequences of his plea, resulting in his conviction, by his attorney’s ineffective assistance of counsel. *See* ECF. No. 9-1.

2. On or about January 7, 2026, the LA Court held a hearing on the Motion to Vacate and ultimately ruled to dismiss Petitioner’s criminal conviction. Petitioner requested a certified copy of the LA Court’s order from the LA Court pursuant to Federal Rule of Evidence 1005, which he now files this Court, attached hereto as Ex. A. Petitioner requests that this Court take judicial notice of this ruling pursuant to Federal Rule of Evidence 201.<sup>1</sup>

3. The fact that Petitioner’s criminal conviction has been dismissed, the entire basis of Petitioner’s immigration removal proceeding is no longer valid. Without any criminal conviction, Petitioner is now free to move the immigration court to reopen and terminate his removal proceedings. Granting of this motion will result in a reinstatement of Petitioner’s lawful permanent resident status—a status that should have never been revoked in the first place, much less should Petitioner have been placed on an order of supervision, which was only recently revoked giving rise to his re-detainment and this litigation.

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<sup>1</sup> In Petitioner’s Motion to Vacate, he sought an enter vacating his plea and conviction under California Penal Code §§ 211, 245(a)(2), and 136.1(b)(1). *See* ECF No. 9-1 at p. 2. However, as shown on ECF No. 9-2 on p. 3, the charges under Penal Code §§ 245(a)(2) and 136.1(b)(1) were dismissed on December 1, 1999. Therefore, the attached Order vacating Petitioner’s conviction as to Penal Code 211 disposes of any and all convictions.

## II. PRAYER

Accordingly, and as mentioned throughout his filings, Petitioner's compelling and time-sensitive situation exceeds the minimum standard for obtaining habeas corpus and injunctive relief in order to be returned to his family and home in California. For these additional reasons, this Court should grant Petitioner's Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus and Emergency Motion and Memorandum in Support for Temporary Restraining Order and Preliminary Injunction.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

On January 13, 2026, I electronically submitted the foregoing document with the clerk of the court for the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas, using the electronic case filing system of the court.

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