

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA
Civil No. 0:25-cv-04741-NEB-DJF

Luis Marcelo Lopez Pantocin,

Petitioner,

v.

Joel Brott, et al.,

Respondents.

**RESPONSE TO REQUEST
FOR ORDER TO
SHOW CAUSE**

The Court ordered the parties to advise it as to whether additional proceedings are required. ECF No. 8 at 2. The undersigned counsel was intending to consult with petitioner's counsel later today in order to seek agreement as to how to advise the Court, but was surprised to see the request for an order to show cause relating to contempt. This is the first counsel has heard of a problem with bond payment. The undersigned counsel believes a misunderstanding or miscommunication has occurred between petitioner's counsel and the Department of Homeland Security. According to preliminary information, the undersigned counsel believes responsible personnel at the agency are under the impression additional steps need to be taken in order to complete bond payment.

In the circumstances, Federal Respondents respectfully request three days within which to respond to the request for an order to show cause. It is sincerely hoped and expected that this situation can be fully resolved without the need for further involvement by the Court.

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