

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
SAVANNAH DIVISION**

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John E. Triplett, Clerk of Court
United States District Court
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JORGE ALBERTO GALEANO NAVARRETE,
Petitioner,

v.

TAYLOR JONES,
Field Office Director,
U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement,

MERRICK B. GARLAND,
Attorney General of the United States,
Respondents.

Civil Action No. _____

**SWORN DECLARATION OF MARITZA CLARIBEL SÁNCHEZ GUZMÁN
IN SUPPORT OF PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS
AND MOTION FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

I, Maritza Claribel Sánchez Guzmán, hereby declare under penalty of perjury pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746 that the following statements are true and correct to the best of my personal knowledge:

I am an adult individual born on [REDACTED]. I reside at [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

I am the long-term partner of Jorge Alberto Galeano Navarrete, the Petitioner in this matter. We have maintained a committed and stable relationship, and I am fully familiar with his personal history, character, health, and immigration circumstances.

Jorge Alberto Galeano Navarrete entered the United States on April 20, 2022, and was granted parole upon entry. He later filed an application for asylum, which remains pending. At all times, he has complied with every requirement imposed by immigration authorities.

On December 15, 2025, Jorge voluntarily appeared at his scheduled ICE appointment, as he always did. Without warning and without a judicial warrant, he was arrested by ICE officers. This arrest devastated our family emotionally and financially.

Jorge has no criminal record of any kind. He is a peaceful, hardworking, and responsible person. He worked lawfully, paid taxes, and contributed positively to the community. He has never posed any danger to anyone.

Jorge suffers from a serious cardiac condition that causes tachycardia, particularly when he is under emotional stress. Since his detention, his health has significantly deteriorated. He has experienced frequent episodes of rapid heart rate, anxiety, and fear for his life.

The stress and emotional trauma caused by his detention have gravely affected both his physical and mental health. I live in constant fear that his heart condition may worsen while he remains detained.

Jorge is not a flight risk. His arrest occurred precisely because he voluntarily complied with ICE appointments. He has always shown respect for the law and willingness to follow all legal processes.

His detention has caused severe emotional distress to me as his partner. I have suffered anxiety, insomnia, emotional anguish, and financial hardship due to his sudden detention.

I respectfully request that this Honorable Court consider Jorge's serious medical condition, lack of criminal history, compliance with ICE, and the irreparable harm caused by continued detention, and order his immediate release.

I make this declaration voluntarily, in support of the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus and Motion for Immediate Release filed in this matter.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on: 12-29-25



Maritza Claribel Sánchez Guzmán

Declarant

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