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To:

Honorable Nusrat Choudhury
United States District Court Judge
Eastern District of New York
100 Federal Plaza
Central Islip, New York 11722

RE: *Normatov v. Francis, et. al.* No. 26-cv-00095-NJC

LETTER MOTION TO PERMIT ATTENDANCE OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Dear Honorable Judge Choudhury,

The Law Offices of Edward J. Cuccia currently represent Albert Normatov in his petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus (26-cv-00095-NJC) before this Court. Mr. Normatov is scheduled to appear before the Honoarable Judge Nusrat Choudhury, United States District Judge, at the United States Courthouse for the Eastern District of New York, 100 Federal Plaza, Central Islip, NY 11722 on Tuesday, January 20, 2026 at 2:00 PM.

Mr. Normatov has spoken to his family and wishes for them to attend the hearing. The following family members have explicitly requested to attend the hearing: Madlena Mikhaylova (Petitioner's wife), [redacted] Normatov (Petitioner's son), [redacted] Normatova (Petitioner's daughter), Imma Normatov (sister), and Alla Aminov (sister). Several other family members and friends have expressed interest in attending the hearing as well.

The Law Offices of Edward J. Cuccia could not determine whether the Honorable Judge Nusrat Choudhury has a limitation on how many family and friends can attend Habeas Corpus proceedings. This office thought it best to make a formal request.

The U.S. Attorneys, Megan Freismuth and Robert W. Schumacher, appearing on this case have been contacted and have no objection to the presence of Mr. Normatov's family or friends at the hearing.

Sincerely,

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