

United States District Court
Western District of Texas
El Paso Division

ELMER ALEXANDER MARTINEZ
BANOS,
Petitioner,

v.

KRISTI NOEM, *Secretary, U.S. Department
of Homeland Security, et al.*,
Respondents.

No. 3:26-CV-00039-DB

Federal Respondents' Joint Status Report

Pursuant to this court's order issued on January 28, 2026, ECF No. 7, Respondents file this status report. Petitioner has been released from custody and there are no remaining matters to be resolved in this case.

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