

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

LINDA INES ROJAS-
LARGAESPADA,

Petitioner,

v.

JASON STREEVAL, *et al.*,

Respondents.

Case No. 4:26-cv-00134-CDL-AGH

APPLICATION FOR ISSUANCE OF ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2243, Petitioner Linda Ines Rojas-Largaespada respectfully requests that this Court issue an order directing Respondents to show cause why the petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed by Petitioner pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241 should not be granted. As grounds, Petitioner states:

1. Petitioner challenges her civil immigration detention by Respondents and seeks release from Respondents' custody, or in the alternative, statutory process under 8 U.S.C. § 1226(a), which includes a bond determination. *See* Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus, Dkt. No. 1.

2. The federal habeas corpus statute provides that “[a] court, justice or judge entering a writ of habeas corpus shall forthwith award the writ or issue an order directing the respondent to show cause why the writ should not be granted,

unless it appears from the application that the applicant or person detained is not entitled thereto.” 28 U.S.C. § 2243.

3. Section 2243 further provides that the writ or order to show cause “shall be returned within three days unless for good cause additional time, not exceeding twenty days, is allowed.”

4. Section 2243 further provides that the court shall hold a hearing on the writ or order to show cause “not more than five days after the return unless for good cause additional time is allowed.”

5. In addition, Section 2243 states that the court “shall summarily hear and determine the facts, and dispose of the matter as law and justice require.”

6. Pursuant to Section 2243, Petitioner requests that the Court immediately issue an Order to Show Cause directing Respondent(s) to file a return within three days of the Court’s order, showing cause, if any, why the writ of habeas corpus should not be granted.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Court issue an Order to Show Cause. A proposed order is attached hereto.

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