IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO

Civil Action No. 26-cv-00298-DDD-CYC

YAO LE,

Petitioner,

v.

MARKWAYNE MULLIN,[1] in his official capacity as Secretary, U.S. Department of Homeland Security;
TODD BLANCHE,[2] in his official capacity as Acting Attorney General of the United States;
TODD M. LYONS, in his official capacity as Acting Director, Immigration and Customs Enforcement;
KELEI WALKER, in her official capacity as Deputy Field Office Director for Denver, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement;
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY; and
UNITED STATES IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT,

Respondents.

STATUS REPORT

Pursuant to the Court's Order, ECF No. 12, Respondents respectfully submit this status report to certify compliance with the Order.

On May 11, 2026, the Court granted the Petition, ECF No. 1, and ordered Respondents to "immediately release Petitioner Yao Le from detention subject to appropriate terms of supervision." ECF No. 12 at 7. The Court ordered Respondents to "file a status report within **one week** of this Order confirming he has been released." *Id.*

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[1] Markwayne Mullin, the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security, is automatically substituted for Kristi Noem pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 25(d).
[2] Todd Blanche, the Acting United States Attorney General, is automatically substituted for Pam Bondi pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 25(d).

Shortly after the Order was issued, undersigned counsel informed ICE of the Order. That evening, ICE informed undersigned counsel that Petitioner had already been released from ICE custody on April 5, 2026. Petitioner was released with an order of supervision and enrolled in ICE's Alternatives to Detention Program.

Because complete habeas relief has been effectuated, Respondents submit that the next appropriate step for the Court to take is to enter final judgment.

Dated: May 15, 2026

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on May 15, 2026, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system.

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