

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

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Luis Humberto Pilatuna Gualoto,

Petitioner,

v.

Pamela Bondi, Attorney General,

Kristi Noem, Secretary, U.S. Department  
of Homeland Security,

Todd M. Lyons, Acting Director of  
Immigration and Customs Enforcement,  
and

David Easterwood, Acting Director, St.  
Paul Field Office Immigration and  
Customs Enforcement.

Respondents.

Case No. 26-cv-625 (DMT/EMB)

**MOTION TO ALTER OR AMEND**

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Petitioner Luis Humberto Pilatuna Gualoto (“Mr. Pilatuna Gualoto”), by and through the undersigned attorney, respectfully moves this Court pursuant to Rule 59(e) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure to vacate the Court’s Order, Dkt. 11, transferring this case outside of the District of Minnesota.

As the accompanying memorandum and affidavits demonstrate, Petitioner’s case belongs in the District of Minnesota, which is the district where he is confined, and the newly discovered evidence supports this Court altering its Order transferring venue to the Western District of Texas.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that this Court vacate its Order transferring this case to the Western District of Texas.

Date: Jan. 31, 2026

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