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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
COLUMBUS DIVISION**

ANA ANGELICA MARTÍNEZ JIMÉNEZ,
as Next Friend of
MARCO JOSE MARTÍNEZ JIMÉNEZ

A Number: 

Petitioner,

v.

WARDEN, STEWART DETENTION CENTER
U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT (ICE)
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY



Respondents.

**EMERGENCY PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS (28 U.S.C.
§2241)**

Petitioner Ana Angelica Martínez Jiménez respectfully submits this Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus as Next Friend on behalf of her brother, Marco Jose Martínez Jiménez, who is currently detained by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement. This petition challenges the legality and constitutionality of his continued immigration detention.

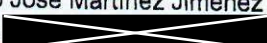
I. NEXT FRIEND INFORMATION


Ana Angelica Martínez Jiménez


Email: 

Relationship to detainee: Sister

II. DETAINEE INFORMATION

Name: Marco Jose Martínez Jiménez
Date of Birth: 
Country of Origin: Venezuela

A■Number: 

III. PLACE OF DETENTION

Stewart Detention Center
146 CCA Road
PO Box 248
Lumpkin, Georgia 31815

IV. FACTUAL BACKGROUND

Mr. Martínez Jiménez was detained on or about September 22 in Gainesville, Georgia after contact with local law enforcement authorities and was subsequently transferred to ICE custody. Since that time he has remained continuously detained at Stewart Detention Center for approximately six months. During his immigration proceedings he appeared before an immigration judge for a preliminary hearing related to his asylum claim. However, he was never granted a bond hearing to determine whether he could be safely released while his immigration case proceeds. On January 29, 2026, an order of removal was issued against him while he remained detained.

V. HUMANITARIAN FACTORS

Mr. Martínez Jiménez suffers from high blood pressure and also has a serious arm injury involving a dislocation which requires proper medical care. He is the primary financial provider for his children who currently reside in Venezuela. One of his daughters suffers from severe malnutrition and requires medication and nutritional support. His prolonged detention has created severe hardship for his family.

VI. CONSTITUTIONAL VIOLATIONS

The continued detention of Mr. Martínez Jiménez violates the Due Process Clause of the Fifth Amendment to the United States Constitution. Immigration detention is civil in nature and cannot become prolonged or indefinite without meaningful procedural safeguards. The absence of a bond hearing and meaningful review of his detention raises serious constitutional concerns.

VII. REQUEST FOR RELIEF

Petitioner respectfully requests that this Court: 1. Issue a Writ of Habeas Corpus reviewing the legality of this detention. 2. Order the immediate release of Mr. Martínez Jiménez from immigration detention; or 3. Order that he receive an immediate bond hearing before an immigration judge. 4. Grant any additional relief the Court deems appropriate.

EMERGENCY MOTION FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Petitioner respectfully moves this Court for an Emergency Order for Immediate Release pending resolution of the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus. Mr. Martínez Jiménez has been detained for approximately six months without a bond hearing. His continued detention raises serious constitutional concerns. Additionally, he suffers from medical conditions including high blood pressure and a serious arm injury. His continued detention also imposes severe hardship on his family members who depend on him for financial and emotional support. Petitioner therefore respectfully requests that the Court order: 1. Immediate release from detention; or 2. An immediate bond hearing before an immigration judge.

Respectfully submitted,

Signature: Ana Martínez
Ana Angelica Martínez Jiménez
Next Friend for Marco Jose Martínez Jiménez

AFFIDAVIT OF NEXT FRIEND

I, Ana Angelica Martínez Jiménez, declare under penalty of perjury that the following is true and correct: 1. I am the sister of Marco Jose Martínez Jiménez. 2. My brother is currently detained at Stewart Detention Center in Lumpkin, Georgia. 3. He has been detained for approximately six months. 4. He suffers from high blood pressure and a serious arm injury. 5. His detention has created severe hardship for his family who depend on him. 6. His children reside in Venezuela and rely on his support. 7. I am filing this petition as Next Friend because he is detained and cannot effectively prepare complex federal court filings. I respectfully request that the Court review the legality of his detention.

Executed on this 05 day of March, 2026.

Signature: Ana Martinez
Ana Angelica Martínez Jiménez
Next Friend of Marco Jose Martínez Jiménez