

TO THE HONORABLE COURT:

United States District Court

'26CV2394 LL VET

Southern District of California

I respectfully submit this Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus on behalf of:

Name: Dawit Fitsum Kalayu

A-Number: 

Mr. Fitsum Kalayu is currently detained by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) at the Otay Mesa Detention Center, San Diego, California. He was detained on September 20, 2025, at the San Ysidro Port of Entry.

The Petitioner has been detained for over 180 days without trial or conviction. Such prolonged detention violates the constitutional guarantee of personal liberty, due process of law, and the right to a speedy trial.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant this petition and order his immediate release from ICE custody while his immigration proceedings continue.

Dawit Fitsum Kalayu



Otay Mesa Detention Center, San Diego, California.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This letter is submitted in support of the release of Mr. Dawit Fitsum Kalayu currently detained by ICE at the Otay Mesa Detention Center, San Diego, California.

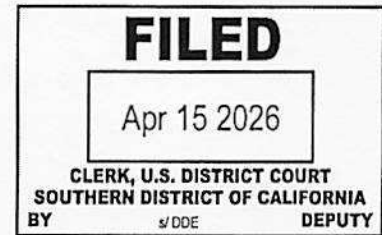
Mr. Fitsum Kalayu was detained on September 20, 2025, and has been held for an extended period without a bond hearing, meaningful review, or lawful justification.

Based on the above, we respectfully request Mr. Fitsum Kalayu release on recognizance or under a minimal bond while his immigration matters are resolved.

Dawit Fitsum Kalayu



Otay Mesa Detention Center, San Diego, California.



TO:

U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE)

Otay Mesa Detention Center

San Diego, California

RE: Dawit Fitsum Kalayu – A-Number



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Please find enclosed the following documents submitted on behalf of Mr. Dawit Fitsum Kalayu, who is currently detained at the Otay Mesa Detention Center, San Diego, California:

1. Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus – United States District Court, Southern District of California
2. Petition for Release from ICE Custody

We respectfully request prompt review and response to this urgent matter.

Sincerely,

Dawit Fitsum Kalayu



Otay Mesa Detention Center, San Diego, California.

To:

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Southern District of California
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From:

Dawit Fitsum Kalayu



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