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10 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
11 **FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**

12 Richard Salazar Larez,

13 Petitioner,

14 v.
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16 Eric Rokosky, *et al.*,

17 Respondents.

No. CV-26-02777-PHX-SPL (JZB)

**RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR
WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS**

18 Respondents, by and through counsel, hereby respond to the Petition for a Writ of
19 Habeas Corpus (Doc. 1). Petitioner's case is not meaningfully distinguishable from
20 *Echevarria v. Bondi*, No.25-cv-03252-PHX-DWL (ESW), 2025 WL 2821282 (D. Ariz.
21 Oct. 3, 2025). Accordingly, Respondents do not oppose Petitioner's request for a bond
22 hearing under 8 U.S.C. § 1226(a) at this time. Respondents note that Petitioner concedes
23 that he may be detained under 8 U.S.C. § 1226(a), *see* Petition at ¶¶ 52, 54, and he makes
24 no argument that he should be released unconditionally. Petitioner seeks only release on
25 bond.

26 Respectfully submitted on April 28, 2026.

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