

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

LAURANT SOMMERVILLE

At 
Petitioner,

Civil Action No: _____

v

JASON STREEVAL Warden Stewart Detention Center,

EMERGENCY PETITION FOR A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS PURSUANT TO
28 U.S.C. § 2241, AND DISCRETIONARY BOND PURSUANT TO 8 U.S.C. § 1226(a)

Petitioner LAURANT SOMMERVILLE pro se' hereby petitions this Court for a writ of Habeas Corpus to remedy petitioner's unlawful detention by respondents and to enjoin Petitioners continued unlawful detention by respondents and states as follows:

Petitioner is a Native and Citizen of HAITI who entered the United States on 8-05-2023 and has lived in the U.S. continuously since then, and is not an arriving Alien as the Judge and DHS improperly assume at Stewart Detention Center in Lumpkin, GA where he remains detained unlawfully, where the Judge said he has no Jurisdiction to offer a Bond.

Petitioner applied for a Custody re-determination Hearing on 4-27-2026 so that he could continue with his Asylum claim from outside and used these cases as reference Garcia v. Noem, 2025 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 214695 and J.A.M. v. Streeval, 2025 U.S. Dist LEXIS 215437 No. 4:25-cv-342-CDL, 2025 WL 3050094 (M.D. Ga. Nov. 1, 2025), and the Court and Judge erroneously applied the broad interpretation of 8 U.S.C. § 1225(b)(2) which do not apply to the Petitioner because he is not an arriving Alien. Petitioner was ordered removed with-out his knowledge or consent, and his legal Counsel did not attend his Court hearing, *and he has a I-130 pending.*

Respondents argue that he is a arriving Alien "seeking admission", but this is not true as he entered the United States on 8-5-2023 which is years ago and not now as suggested.

In support of his claim for Bond the Petitioner is also referencing the following similar cases as well. J.A.M.M. v. Warden, STEWART DETENTION CENTER 4:25-cv-385-CDL-AGH, P.R.S. 4:25-cv-330, J.A.C.C. 4:25-cv-337, M.M.M. 4:25-cv-343, G.A.G.C. 4:25-cv-347

Petitioner should be allowed the opportunity for a pre-removal release while the removal proceedings are pending, as he has an Appeal with the BIA, so his removal order is not final.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

THEREFORE, Petitioner prays that this Court grant the following relief:

1. Assume jurisdiction over the matter;
2. Grant the Petitioner a Habeas Corpus directing respondents to allow petitioner a Bond.
3. Award Petitioner's Attorney fees and cost under the Equal Access to Justice Act("EAJA"), as amended, 5 U.S.C. §2412, and on other basis justified under law; and
4. Grant any other form of relief this court deems proper

x *Laurant J. Sommerville*

April 27, 2026

LAURANT SOMMERVILLE



Stewart Detention Center

146 CCA Rd.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I Swear, that a true and correct copy of the following Motion has been placed in the hands of an institution official to be furnished and forwarded by first class mail to the following parties listed below on April 27, 2026

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