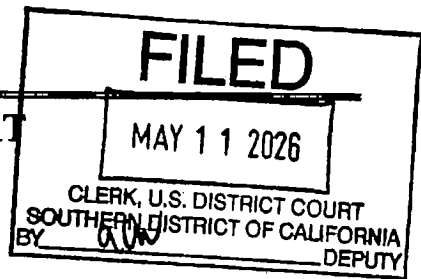


AO 242 (Rev. 09/17) Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus Under 28 U.S.C. § 2241

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
for the  
Southern District of California



GROSSO ALVARO MATIAS

*Petitioner*

v.

CHRISTOPHER LAROSE - Warden Otay Mesa  
Detention Center, MARKWAYNE MULLIN  
U.S. secretary of Homeland Security

*Respondent*

*(name of warden or authorized person having custody of petitioner)*

Case No. '26CV3112 CAB DDL  
*(Supplied by Clerk of Court)*

PETITION FOR A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS UNDER 28 U.S.C. § 2241

Personal Information

1. (a) Your full name: GROSSO ALVARO MATIAS
- (b) Other names you have used: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Place of confinement:
  - (a) Name of institution: OTAY MESA DETENTION CENTER
  - (b) Address: 7488 CALZADA DE LA FUENTE -SAN DIEGO - CA - 92143
- (c) Your identification number:
3. Are you currently being held on orders by:
 

Federal authorities     State authorities     Other - explain: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Are you currently:
 

A pretrial detainee (waiting for trial on criminal charges)

Serving a sentence (incarceration, parole, probation, etc.) after having been convicted of a crime

If you are currently serving a sentence, provide:

  - (a) Name and location of court that sentenced you: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (b) Docket number of criminal case: \_\_\_\_\_
  - (c) Date of sentencing: \_\_\_\_\_

Being held on an immigration charge

Other (explain): \_\_\_\_\_

Decision or Action You Are Challenging

5. What are you challenging in this petition:
 

How your sentence is being carried out, calculated, or credited by prison or parole authorities (for example, revocation or calculation of good time credits)

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- Pretrial detention
- Immigration detention
- Detainer
- The validity of your conviction or sentence as imposed (for example, sentence beyond the statutory maximum or improperly calculated under the sentencing guidelines)
- Disciplinary proceedings
- Other (explain): \_\_\_\_\_

6. Provide more information about the decision or action you are challenging:

(a) Name and location of the agency or court: OTAY MESA IMMIGRATION COURT

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(b) Docket number, case number, or opinion number: \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Decision or action you are challenging (for disciplinary proceedings, specify the penalties imposed):

I AM CHALLENGING MY PROLONGUED DETENTION IN CUSTODY

(d) Date of the decision or action: 07/11/2025

**Your Earlier Challenges of the Decision or Action**

7. **First appeal**

Did you appeal the decision, file a grievance, or seek an administrative remedy?

Yes  No

(a) If "Yes," provide:

(1) Name of the authority, agency, or court: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Date of filing: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Docket number, case number, or opinion number: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) Result: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) Date of result: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) Issues raised: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) If you answered "No," explain why you did not appeal: \_\_\_\_\_

THERE IS NO ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL TO CHALLENGE IMMIGRATION DETENTION

8. **Second appeal**

After the first appeal, did you file a second appeal to a higher authority, agency, or court?

Yes  No

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(a) If "Yes," provide:

(1) Name of the authority, agency, or court: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Date of filing: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Docket number, case number, or opinion number: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) Result: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) Date of result: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) Issues raised: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(b) If you answered "No," explain why you did not file a second appeal: \_\_\_\_\_

SAME ABOVE

9. **Third appeal**

After the second appeal, did you file a third appeal to a higher authority, agency, or court?

Yes  No

(a) If "Yes," provide:

(1) Name of the authority, agency, or court: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Date of filing: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Docket number, case number, or opinion number: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) Result: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) Date of result: \_\_\_\_\_

(6) Issues raised: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(b) If you answered "No," explain why you did not file a third appeal: \_\_\_\_\_

SAME ABOVE

10. **Motion under 28 U.S.C. § 2255**

In this petition, are you challenging the validity of your conviction or sentence as imposed?

Yes  No

If "Yes," answer the following:

(a) Have you already filed a motion under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 that challenged this conviction or sentence?

Yes  No

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If "Yes," provide:

- (1) Name of court: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) Case number: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) Date of filing: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) Result: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) Date of result: \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) Issues raised: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Have you ever filed a motion in a United States Court of Appeals under 28 U.S.C. § 2244(b)(3)(A), seeking permission to file a second or successive Section 2255 motion to challenge this conviction or sentence?

Yes  No

If "Yes," provide:

- (1) Name of court: \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) Case number: \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) Date of filing: \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) Result: \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) Date of result: \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) Issues raised: \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Explain why the remedy under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 is inadequate or ineffective to challenge your conviction or sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Appeals of immigration proceedings

Does this case concern immigration proceedings?

Yes  No

If "Yes," provide:

- (a) Date you were taken into immigration custody: \_\_\_\_\_
- (b) Date of the removal or reinstatement order: \_\_\_\_\_
- (c) Did you file an appeal with the Board of Immigration Appeals?

Yes  No

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If "Yes," provide:

(1) Date of filing: 02/14/2026

(2) Case number:

(3) Result: CURRENTLY

(4) Date of result:

(5) Issues raised:

APPEAL BOND HEARING (BIA)

(d) Did you appeal the decision to the United States Court of Appeals?

Yes

No

If "Yes," provide:

(1) Name of court:

(2) Date of filing:

(3) Case number:

(4) Result:

(5) Date of result:

(6) Issues raised:

12. **Other appeals**

Other than the appeals you listed above, have you filed any other petition, application, or motion about the issues raised in this petition?

Yes

No

If "Yes," provide:

(a) Kind of petition, motion, or application:

(b) Name of the authority, agency, or court:

(c) Date of filing:

(d) Docket number, case number, or opinion number:

(e) Result:

(f) Date of result:

(g) Issues raised:

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**Grounds for Your Challenge in This Petition**

13. State every ground (reason) that supports your claim that you are being held in violation of the Constitution, laws, or treaties of the United States. Attach additional pages if you have more than four grounds. State the facts supporting each ground. Any legal arguments must be submitted in a separate memorandum.

**GROUND ONE:** SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE, THE GROUNDS ARE EXPLAINED

(a) Supporting facts *(Be brief. Do not cite cases or law.)*:

SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE, THE GROUNDS ARE EXPLAINED

(b) Did you present Ground One in all appeals that were available to you?

Yes  No

**GROUND TWO:** SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE, THE GROUNDS ARE EXPLAINED

(a) Supporting facts *(Be brief. Do not cite cases or law.)*:

SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE, THE GROUNDS ARE EXPLAINED

(b) Did you present Ground Two in all appeals that were available to you?

Yes  No

**GROUND THREE:** SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE, THE GROUNDS ARE EXPLAINED

(a) Supporting facts *(Be brief. Do not cite cases or law.)*:

SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE, THE GROUNDS ARE EXPLAINED

(b) Did you present Ground Three in all appeals that were available to you?

Yes  No

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**GROUND FOUR:** SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE, THE GROUNDS ARE EXPLAINED

(a) Supporting facts *(Be brief. Do not cite cases or law.)*:

SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE, THE GROUNDS ARE EXPLAINED

(b) Did you present Ground Four in all appeals that were available to you?

Yes  No

14. If there are any grounds that you did not present in all appeals that were available to you, explain why you did not: SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE, THE GROUNDS ARE EXPLAINED

**Request for Relief**

15. State exactly what you want the court to do: SEE INTRODUCTORY NOTE

1) Order petitioner's immediately release or release under conditions of supervision.

2) In the alternative, order new bond hearing consistent with the court's instructions.

