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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JOSE GUILLERMO ZAMBRANO MOLINA

No. 1:26-CV-05270-JLT-SAB

Petitioner,

v.

WARDEN, *et al.*,

Respondents.

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

Respondents hereby oppose the petition for a writ of habeas corpus. This case does not appear to be materially distinguishable from certain of the cases previously decided by this Court. Detention in this case was pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1225(b)(2)(A) because Petitioner entered with inspection and without being paroled, and Respondents respectfully maintain position that such provision governs here. Respondents acknowledge, however, that *Rodriguez Vazquez v. Bostock*, 2026 WL 2196424 (9th Cir. July 30, 2026), holds that § 1226(a) governs Petitioner's detention. Petitioner is therefore entitled to seek a custody redetermination hearing before an immigration judge. In this context, due process is co-extensive with the statute.

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Pursuant to the Court's Order, Respondents attach as exhibits the I-213, Notice to Appear, and I-200.

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Respectfully submitted,

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