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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

CLAUDIA JERUSELY RODRIGUEZ
FUENTES,

Petitioner,

v.

ITZHAK HENN, Interim Henderson Police
Chief in charge of the Henderson Detention
Center; MICHAEL BERNACKKE,
Immigration and Customs Enforcement
Field Director for Salt Lake Cit; and KRISTI
NOEM, Secretary of Homeland Security,

Respondents.

Case No. 2:25-cv-00846-CDS-DJA

**Status Report Regarding Compliance
with ECF No. 28**

Federal Respondents, through undersigned counsel, respectfully submit this Status Report pursuant to the Court's December 31, 2025, Order (ECF No. 28), and to certify compliance therewith.

The Court granted the Amended Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus in part and ordered, inter alia, that Federal Respondents immediately release Petitioner Claudia Jerusely Rodriguez Fuentes from immigration custody. ECF No. 28.

Federal Respondents hereby certify that Petitioner was released from Immigration and Customs Enforcement custody, in compliance with the Court's Order.

1 Federal Respondents respectfully submit that the relief granted by the Court under
2 28 U.S.C. § 2241—namely, Petitioner’s release from custody—has now been fully
3 effectuated. Accordingly, Federal Respondents believe that no further merits proceedings
4 are necessary and that the case may be closed.

5 Federal Respondents further note that the Court denied Petitioner’s request for
6 attorney’s fees without prejudice and indicated that any motion seeking fees under the
7 Equal Access to Justice Act may be filed, if at all, following entry of final judgment. ECF
8 No. 28 at 8. Federal Respondents’ position regarding case closure is without prejudice to
9 Petitioner’s ability to file any timely post-judgment motion for attorney’s fees consistent
10 with the Court’s Order and applicable law.

11 Federal Respondents attempted to confer with Petitioner’s counsel regarding this
12 Status Report and Petitioner’s position on case closure but did not receive a response prior
13 to the Court-ordered deadline. Federal Respondents therefore submit this Status Report in
14 order to comply with the Court’s directive.

15 Respectfully submitted this 7th day of January 2026.

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17 Respectfully submitted,
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