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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
11 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

12 GERARDO ROMAN VALENCIA ZAPATA,)
13 *et al.*,)

14 Petitioners,)

15 v.)

16 POLLY KAISER, *et al.*,)

17 Respondents.)
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Case No. 3:25-cv-7492-RFL

STATEMENT OF RECENT DECISION

Honorable Rita F. Lin

Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 7-3(d)(2), Respondents respectfully submit this statement to inform the Court of a recent decision rendered after the parties' briefing that may be relevant to this Court's consideration:

On September 24, 2025, the Southern District of California denied the petitioners' application for a temporary restraining order in *Jose Guadalupe Sixtos Chavez, et al. v. Kristi Noem, et al.*, No. 3:25-cv-02325-CAB-SBC, Dkt. No. 8. The court rejected the petitioners' argument that their detention was governed by 8 U.S.C. § 1226, and instead found that they were subject to mandatory detention under the plain text of § 1225(b)(2).

The decision is filed as an attachment to this Statement.

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