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November 7, 2025

The Honorable Lawrence J. Vilardo
United States District Judge
Robert H. Jackson United States Courthouse
2 Niagara Square
Buffalo, New York 14202

**Re: Ortiz v. Noem, et al.
25-CV-00960-LJV**

Dear Judge Vilardo:

A bond hearing was held for Petitioner pursuant to this Court's Order. The immigration judge ordered that Petitioner be released on bond of \$3,500. A copy of the immigration judge's decision is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enc. – Order of Immigration Judge (2 pages)



**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW
BATAVIA IMMIGRATION COURT**

Respondent Name:

ALVAREZ ORTIZ, JORGE

To:

Borowski, Matthew
4343 Union Rd
Buffalo, NY 14225

A-Number:



Riders:

In Custody Redetermination Proceedings

Date:

11/07/2025

ORDER OF THE IMMIGRATION JUDGE

The respondent requested a custody redetermination pursuant to 8 C.F.R. § 1236. After full consideration of the evidence presented, the respondent's request for a change in custody status is hereby ordered:

☐ Denied, because

- ☒ Granted. It is ordered that Respondent be:
- ☐ released from custody on his own recognizance.
 - ☒ released from custody under bond of \$ 3,500.00
 - ☐ other:

☒ Other:

DHS is not permitted to add alternatives to detention, or require Respondent to submit to any alternatives to detention (i.e., ankle monitor), unless a request to the appropriate Court and receipt of proper judicial approval from that Court is given in advance of such addition.

A full written decision addressing the Court's findings and analysis will be issued in the near future.



Immigration Judge: SCHULTZ, ERIC 11/07/2025

Appeal: Department of Homeland Security: ☐ waived ☒ reserved
Respondent: ☒ waived ☐ reserved
Appeal Due: 12/08/2025

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Date: 11/07/2025 By: Cavar, Sandi, Court Staff