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By ECF
Honorable Nina R. Morrison
United States District Court
Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: *Barzola-Arias v. Genalo, et al.*,
Civ. No. 26-cv-327 (Morrison, J.)

Dear Judge Morrison:

This Office represents Respondents in the above-referenced habeas action. Respondents write in accordance with Your Honor's Order dated January 23, 2026, which, in relevant part: (1) directed Respondents to release Petitioner no later than Saturday, January 24, 2026 at 11:59 a.m.; and (2) directed Respondents file a letter regarding their compliance with the Order by January 24, 2026 at 3:00 p.m.

As set forth in the attached Declaration of Mincheol So, dated Jan. 24, 2026, Petitioner was released from the Metropolitan Detention Center in Brooklyn, New York—the facility at which he was detained—at 11:49 a.m. on January 24, 2026. *See* Ex. A (So Decl.), ¶ 3.

Thank you for the Court's time and attention to this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

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