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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

Luis Antonio Molina Alberto,

Petitioner,

v.

Knight, et al.,

Respondents.

Case No. 2:26-cv-01216-RFB-NJK

INTERESTED PARTY MATTOS'
RESPONSE TO ORDER
APPOINTING COUNSEL
(Dkt. 5)

Interested Party John Mattos submits this Response to Order Appointing Counsel (Dkt. 5). As Warden of the Nevada Southern Detention Center ("NSDC"), a private facility owned and operated by CoreCivic, Inc. pursuant to a detention services agreement with U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement ("ICE"), Warden Mattos had (and has) no involvement in Petitioner's immigration proceedings and no independent authority to release Petitioner. As such, Warden Mattos and CoreCivic take no position on the habeas or bond relief sought. Additionally, Warden Mattos takes no position on whether Petitioner is a class member of *Jacobo-Ramirez v. Mullin*, No. 25-cv-02136-RFB-MDC (D. Nev.).

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2 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 24th day of April 2026.

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