

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

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| <p>Gabriel J.,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Petitioner,</p> <p>v.</p> <p>Pamela Bondi, Attorney General; Kristi Noem, Secretary, U.S. Department of Homeland Security; Todd M. Lyons, Acting Director of Immigration and Customs Enforcement; David Easterwood, Acting Director, St. Paul Field Office Immigration and Customs Enforcement, and Ryan Shea, Sheriff of Freeborn County,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Respondents.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">No. 26-cv-00865 (SRN/LIB)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE</p> |
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SUSAN RICHARD NELSON, United States District Judge

Pursuant to the Court's February 4, 2026 Order [Doc. No. 7] granting Petitioner Gabriel J.'s Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus, Respondents were ordered to release Petitioner from custody immediately, but no later than within 48 hours, and to confirm

Petitioner's release within 48 hours of the date of the Order. The deadline has expired, and Respondents have failed to confirm Petitioner's release.

Therefore, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

Respondents shall file a response to this Order, no later than February 13, 2026, showing cause why they shall not be held in contempt of Court for failing to comply with the Court's February 4, 2026 Order.

Dated: February 11, 2026

s/Susan Richard Nelson
SUSAN RICHARD NELSON
United States District Judge