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6 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
7 **FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**  
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9 Gabriel Flores-Delgado,  
10 Petitioner,  
11 v.  
12 Loretta Lynch, et al.,  
13 Respondents.  
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No. CV-15-01273-PHX-JAT

**ORDER**

15 On June 5, 2015, Petitioner filed a Petition for Writ of Habeas in California.  
16 Ultimately, on July 8, 2015, Petitioner's Petition was transferred to Arizona. On  
17 December 16, 2015, the Magistrate Judge to whom this case was assigned issued a  
18 Report and Recommendation recommending that Petitioner's Petition be denied by this  
19 Court.

20 Petitioner has filed two motions for extensions of time to file objections to the  
21 Report and Recommendation. Embedded in both of those motions is a request for  
22 appointment of counsel.

23 "There is no constitutional right to counsel on habeas." *Bonin v. Vasquez*, 999  
24 F.2d 425, 429 (9th Cir. 1993). Indigent state prisoners applying for habeas corpus relief  
25 are not entitled to appointed counsel unless the circumstances indicate that appointed  
26 counsel is necessary to prevent due process violations. *Chaney v. Lewis*, 801 F.2d 1191,  
27 1196 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. 1986); *Kreiling v. Field*, 431 F.2d 638, 640 (9th Cir. 1970); *Eskridge v.*  
28 *Rhay*, 345 F.2d 778, 782 (9th Cir. 1965).

