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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

GERARDO MANUEL MENDOZA  
LOPEZ,

Petitioner,

v.

Janet Napolitano, Secretary of Homeland  
Security, et al.

Respondents.

No. 1:12-cv-1750 MJS

JOINT STIPULATION AND ORDER RE:  
SECOND EXTENSION OF TIME IN  
WHICH TO RESPOND TO THE ORDER  
TO SHOW CAUSE

This is an immigration habeas case in which Petitioner has filed to challenge his detention by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE). On November 9, 2012, the Court issued an order requiring Respondents to respond to the Petition. The parties now stipulate to a second extension of time for the government's response to that Order, as the parties continue to attempt to reach a satisfactory resolution to the matter at the administrative level. Specifically, Petitioner has filed a U-visa application; should that application be successful, it is expected he would be released from custody.

Accordingly, the parties stipulate to a 14-day extension of time for the government to file its answer to the Order to Show Cause, until February 5, 2013.

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2 Dated: January 18, 2013

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10 //s/ Kevin Crabtree  
11 Kevin Crabtree  
12 Attorney for the Petitioner

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14 ORDER

15 Pursuant to this Joint Stipulation and for the reasons stated therein, IT IS HEREBY  
16 ORDERED that the time for filing the government's response to the Order to Show Cause is  
17 extended to February 5, 2013.

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19 IT IS SO ORDERED.

20 Dated: January 22, 2013

21 /s/ Michael J. Seng  
22 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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