

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

JUAN LEON FIGUEROA, et al.,

Petitioners,

v.

CAMMILLA WAMSLEY, et al.,

Respondents.

Case No. 2:25-cv-02228-TMC

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

On November 7, 2025, Petitioners filed a petition for writ of habeas corpus alleging that Respondents had unlawfully subjected them to mandatory detention without the possibility of release on bond under 8 U.S.C. § 1225(b)(2). Dkt. 1 ¶¶ 29–33. The same day, Petitioners moved for the Court to issue an order requiring Respondents to file a return to the habeas petition within three days. Dkt. 2 at 7. Having reviewed the petition and accompanying motion, the Court GRANTS the motion for order to show cause. 28 U.S.C. § 2243 (requiring return “within three days unless for good cause additional time, not exceeding twenty days, is allowed”).

Accordingly, the Court orders:

1. Respondents shall file a return to the habeas petition no later than November 18, 2025. Any arguments that the petition should be dismissed shall be made in the return and not by separate motion.
2. Any traverse Petitioners wish to file shall be due by November 19, 2025. The clerk shall note the habeas petition for November 19, 2025.
3. The clerk is directed to effectuate immediate service of the habeas petition filed in this case upon Respondents and shall immediately email a copy of this order to usawaw.Habeas@usdoj.gov.

Dated this 13th day of November, 2025.


Tiffany M. Cartwright
United States District Judge