

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

IN RE:

STANDING ORDER NO. 2026-01

IMMIGRATION HABEAS PETITIONS

STANDING ORDER

To facilitate the management and disposition of this Court's burgeoning Immigration Habeas Petition docket, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that MDPA Local Civ. R. 7.8(a) which provides that "[n]o brief may incorporate by reference all or any portion of any other brief," is suspended to allow the United States Attorney's Office to file truncated responses that incorporate by reference full-length briefing from prior INS habeas cases. This suspension is limited in scope and duration and is remedial to INS Immigration Petitions.

The Court reserves the right to modify this Order or to rescind the Order entirely as the Court deems appropriate. This Order is effective immediately and remains in full force until modified or rescinded.

BY THE COURT:



Matthew W. Brann

Chief United States District Judge

Dated: February 11, 2026