IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

JOSE JIMENEZ MORENO and MARIA)
JOSE LOPEZ,)
on behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated,)))
Plaintiffs,) No. 1:11-cv-05452
vs.) Judge John Z. Lee
JANET NAPOLITANO, et al.,)
in their official capacities,)
Defendants.))

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PLAINTIFFS' LOCAL RULE 56.1(a) STATEMENT OF MATERIAL FACTS

Pursuant to Local Rule 56.1, Plaintiffs Jose Jimenez Moreno and Maria Jose Lopez, on behalf of themselves and the certified class, hereby submit the following statement of material facts as to which there is no genuine issue, in support of their motion for summary judgment.

I. Parties and Procedural Matters

- 1. Plaintiff Jose Jimenez Moreno ("Moreno") is a U.S. citizen from birth. At all times relevant to this litigation, he was not—and is not today—removable from the United States. [See Defs.' Answer to Am. Compl., Dkt. # 82, ¶ 13; Ex. A, Certificate of U.S. Citizenship for Moreno; Ex. C, Defs.' Resp. to Pls.' First Set of Requests for Admission ("RFA"), Req. No. 8 & 9; Defs.' Mem. in Opp. to Class Certification, Dkt. # 109, at 3.]
- 2. Plaintiff Maria Jose Lopez has been a Lawful Permanent Resident ("LPR") since 1997. At all times relevant to this litigation, she was not—and is not today—removable from the United States. [See Defs.' Answer to Am. Compl., Dkt. # 82, ¶ 14; Ex. B, LPR Application for

Lopez (approved Aug. 5, 1997); Ex. C, Defs.' Resp. to Pls.' RFA, Req. Nos. 8 & 9; Defs.' Mem. in Opp. to Class Certification, Dkt. # 109, at 3.]

3. Plaintiffs Moreno and Lopez represent the following certified class:

All current and future persons against whom Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) has issued an immigration detainer [from] the Chicago Area of Responsibility where: (1) ICE has instructed the law enforcement agency (LEA) to continue to detain the individual after the LEA's authority has expired; (2) where ICE has not served a Notice to Appear or other charging documents, has not served a warrant of arrest for removal proceedings, and/or has not obtained an order of deportation or removal with respect to the individual; and (3) where the LEA cooperates with ICE in complying with detainers.

[Mem. Op. & Order on Class Certification, Dkt. # 146, at 24.]

- 4. Defendants DHS Secretary Jeh Johnson (successor to Janet Napolitano), ICE Director Sarah Saldaña (successor to John Morton), ICE Chicago Field Office Director Ricardo Wong, and ICE Law Enforcement Support Center (LESC) Director David Palmatier (and his successors) (collectively "Defendants" or "ICE"), in their official capacities, are responsible for policies and practices regarding the issuance of immigration detainers against class members. [Defs.' Answer to Am. Compl., Dkt. # 82, ¶ 15-18, Mem. Op. & Order on Class Certification, Dkt. # 146, at 14-18.]
- 5. By definition, in light of the scope of the certified class, a substantial part of the events and omissions giving rise to Plaintiffs' claims occurred in this district, and the custodian for purposes of class members' immigration detainers is located in the district. [*See* Pls.' Am. Compl., Dkt # 78, ¶¶ 10-11.]

II. ICE's Immigration Detainer Forms

6. ICE issues immigration detainers (now Form I-247D or Form I-247X) to federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies ("LEAs") to advise the LEA that ICE seeks custody of

an individual currently detained by the LEA. [8 C.F.R. § 287.7(a); Mem. Op. & Order on Cross Mots. for J. on Pleadings, Dkt. # 144, at 8.]

- 7. Since this litigation was filed, ICE has used five different detainer forms: the August 2010 revision, the December 2011 revision, the December 2012 revision, the June 2015 Form I-247D, and the August 2015 Form I-247X. [Mem. Op. & Order on Class Certification, Dkt. # 146, at 2-3; Pls.' Mem. in Support of Class Certification, Dkt. # 95, at Exs. A-C, DHS000115-121; Ex. D; Ex. HH.] Despite the multiple revisions—and setting aside the two named Plaintiffs—ICE has not rescinded or replaced outstanding detainers issued using the previous forms. [*See* Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 105: 4-16, 211:11-24 (designated by Defendants under Rule 30(b)(6)); Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 52:1-53:19, 73:8-19 (also designated by Defendants under Rule 30(b)(6).] ICE views all outstanding detainers, irrespective of which detainer form was used, as continuing to be valid. [*Id.*]
- 8. The first three versions of the detainer form contain two main sections: checkboxes at the top of the form that explain the basis for issuing the detainer, and checkboxes at the bottom of the form that request that the LEA take certain actions. [Mem. Op. & Order on Class Certification, Dkt. # 146, at 2-3.] The June 2015 I-247D and the August 2015 I-247X versions maintain the content of these two main sections and then include an additional section to explain why the subject of the detainer is an enforcement priority. [See Ex. D, at DHS002702; Ex. HH, at DHS002834.]
- 9. Currently, ICE uses the June I-247D detainer form against individuals that it deems the highest enforcement priorities, while the August I-247X detainer form is used against individuals that ICE has designated as lower enforcement priorities. [See Ex. II, at DHS002770-2776, 2785-2787, 2791.] Individuals subject to the August I-247X detainer form are class

members only if they are the subject of a detainer issued under Section B.2 of this form. [See Ex. HH, at DHS002834; Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790.]

- the class members are all necessarily individuals who are or will be subject to detainers where ICE has not indicated that the detainer is supported by: (1) service of a Notice to Appear or other charging document; (2) service of a warrant of arrest; or (3) issuance of an order of deportation or removal. [Mem. Op. & Order on Class Certification, Dkt. # 146, at 11-14; Pls.' Mem. in Support of Class Certification, Dkt. # 95, Exs. A-C, DHS000115-121.] While DHS has changed the description of the checkboxes in the June 2015 I-247D and August I-247X versions, individuals who are or will be subject to detainers issued under those new forms would still be members of the class if such detainer is not supported by either a final order of removal or pending removal proceedings (i.e., service of a Notice to Appear and warrant of arrest). [Ex. D, at DHS002702; Ex. HH, at DHS002834; see 8 C.F.R. §§ 239.1(b), 236.1(b)(1) (warrant of arrest can be issued only after a Notice to Appear), 1239.1.]
- 11. Depending on the particular form used, the detainer issued with respect to the class members will necessarily have been based on a checkbox indicating that ICE has either "initiated an investigation" (August 2010 and December 2011), "determined that there is a reason to believe the individual is an alien subject to removal from the United States" (December 2012), or concluded that "[p]robable cause exists that the subject is a removable alien." (June 2015 I-247D and August 2015 I-247X). [Ex. G; Ex. H, at DHS000116; Ex. I, at DHS000119; Ex. D, at DHS002702; Ex. HH, at DHS002834.]

- 12. Class members who are subject to the June 2015 I-247D detainer or August 2015 I-247X detainer are further provided generic information implying investigative steps ICE may have undertaken to reach its assertion of "probable cause," namely:
 - biometric confirmation of the subject's identity and a records check of federal databases that affirmatively indicate, by themselves or in addition to other reliable information, that the subject either lacks immigration status or notwithstanding such status is removable under U.S. immigration law; and/or
 - statements made voluntarily by the subject to an immigration officer and/or other reliable evidence that affirmatively indicate the subject either lacks immigration status or notwithstanding such status is removable under U.S. immigration law.

[Ex. D, at DHS002702; Ex. HH, at DHS002834.]

13. All five versions of the detainer form request that the LEA hold the individual for up to 48 hours beyond the time when the individual is otherwise eligible for release from LEA custody—whether the individual has paid bail, been acquitted, received a dismissal of charges, or completed a prison sentence—so that DHS can assume physical custody of the individual.

[Mem. Op. & Order on Class Certification, Dkt. # 146, at 3; Ex. D, at DHS 0002702; Ex. HH, at DHS002834.]

III. ICE's Detainer Policies and Practices

14. Despite changes to the detainer form and changes to ICE's enforcement priorities over the years, ICE's policies and practices for investigating and issuing detainers against class members have remained uniform and unchanged as they relate to class members' legal claims. [Mem. Op. & Order on Class Certification, Dkt. # 146, at 16, 19; Ex. J, at DHS002665-67 (training materials describing the changes to the detainer process after June 2015 as involving only enforcement priorities); *compare* Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 20:1-4, 20:18-23, 29:19-30:12, 41:23-51:7, 57:24-59:12, 73:20-74:4 (testifying to standard detainer

procedures that rely on biometric fingerprint identification if available, federal database records checks, limited circumstances when ICE agents might speak with a subject, and ICE agents' practice of issuing detainers without any judicial or other review) and Ex. K, at DHS000048 (Secure Communities standard operating procedures for issuing detainers dated Dec. 1, 2011) and Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 31:4-21, 184:4-14 (testifying that the only detainer policies that exist are those that are in writing, and that the written policies apply uniformly) and Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 30:21-42:8, 80:15-81:20, 166:17-23 (testifying to standard procedures in issuing a detainer, including biometric fingerprint identification if available, federal database records checks, circumstances when she may interview a subject, and ICE agents' practice of issuing detainers without any judicial or other review) and Ex. M, C. Schilling Dep. 25:6-26:10, 139:24-143:1 (same) with Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650 (DHS Directives, Instruction No: 044-01-001, "Implementing Department of Homeland Security Immigration Enforcement Priorities" (Issue Date: June 10, 2015) (instruction on investigating and issuing immigration detainers after June 2015, which closely tracks the procedures testified to by ICE officials Kauffman, Antia, and Schilling and does not supersede the written detainer policies from August 2, 2010 (Ex. O), Secure Communities detainer procedures (Ex. K, at DHS000048), and written detainer policy dated Dec. 21, 2012 (Ex. P)) and Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682 (training materials on issuing June 2015 I-247D detainers, which tracks previous detainer procedures) and Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795 (training material on using the I-247X form as a detainer, which tracks the ICE training on use of the June I-247D detainer form and previous detainer procedures).]

15. ICE does not have a written policy explaining how an officer is required or advised to conduct his investigation to determine whether to issue a detainer. [Ex. O, August 2,

2010 detainer policy (partially superseded); Ex. P. Dec. 21, 2012 detainer policy (superseding in part August 2, 2010 policy); Ex. K, Secure Communities detainer procedures, at DHS000048; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682 (training materials on issuing June 2015 I-247D detainers); Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650 (June 10, 2015 detainer policy); Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795 (August 2015 I-247X detainer training materials); Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 31:4-21, 184:4-14 (testifying that the only detainer policies that exist are those that are in writing, and that the written policies apply uniformly), 56:20-64:8.] ICE's only written policy and general practice is to rely on biometric fingerprint checks (if available) and searches for the targeted individual in four DHS databases (CIS, CLAIMS, TECS, ENFORCE). [See, e.g., Ex. K, at DHS00048, DHS00060 (checklist showing the standard four DHS databases reviewed); Ex. F, K. Kaufmann Dep. 57:5-59:12, 74:5-75:15; 157:23-158:13.] ICE has no policy requiring officers to interview an individual or other relevant individuals before issuing a detainer. [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 58:21-59:13; Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 58:7-14; Ex. O, August 2, 2010 detainer policy (partially superseded); Ex. P, Dec. 21, 2012 detainer policy (superseding in part August 2, 2010 policy); Ex. K, Secure Communities detainer procedures, at DHS000048; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682 (training materials on issuing June 2015 I-247D detainers); Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650 (June 10, 2015 detainer policy); Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795 (training materials on using the I-247X form as a detainer).

A. <u>Determination of Probable Cause</u>

16. ICE's detainer policy does not require its agents to support a determination to issue an immigration detainer with any statement, much less a sworn, particularized statement of probable cause as to why a class member is a noncitizen and removable. [See Ex. O, August 2, 2010 detainer policy (partially superseded); Ex. K, at DHS000048; Ex. P; Ex. N, at

DHS002649-2650; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682; Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795; Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 31:4-21, 184:4-14 (testifying that the only detainer policies that exist are those that are in writing, and that the written policies apply uniformly); Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 49:21-50:20 (testifying that ICE agents do not need to explain why they issue a detainer but that there probably should be a written policy); Ex. M, C. Schilling Dep. 139:24-143:1 (testifying that neither before nor after the fact do ICE agents have to explain their basis for issuing a detainer); Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 164:7-165:6, 166:24-167:4 (same).]

- 17. ICE agents do not follow any practice that requires supporting a determination to issue an immigration detainer with a sworn, particularized statement of probable cause as to why a class member is a noncitizen and removable. [See Ex. O, August 2, 2010 detainer policy (partially superseded); Ex. K, at DHS000048; Ex. P; Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682; Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795; Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 31:4-21, 184:4-14 (testifying that the only detainer policies that exist are those that are in writing, and that the written policies apply uniformly); Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 49:21-50:20 (testifying that ICE agents do not need to explain why they issue a detainer but that there probably should be a written policy); Ex. M, C. Schilling Dep. 139:24-143:1 (testifying that neither before or after do ICE agents have to explain their basis for issuing a detainer); Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 164:7-165:6, 166:24-167:4 (same).]
- 18. ICE's detainer policy does not require its agents to obtain a determination of probable cause from a detached and neutral judicial officer, such as an immigration judge or federal magistrate, either before seeking a class member's arrest on an immigration detainer (i.e., a valid warrant) or within 48 hours after a class member's arrest on an immigration detainer. [See Ex. O, August 2, 2010 detainer policy (partially superseded); Ex. K, at

DHS000048; Ex. P; Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682; Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795; Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 31:4-21, 184:4-14 (testifying that the only detainer policies that exist are those that are in writing, and that the written policies apply uniformly); Ex. M, C. Schilling Dep. 141:3- 23; Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 80:21-81:3, 166:17-167:4.]

- 19. ICE agents do not follow any practice of obtaining a determination of probable cause from a detached and neutral judicial officer, such as an immigration judge or federal magistrate, either before seeking a class member's arrest on an immigration detainer (i.e., a valid warrant) or within 48 hours after a class member's arrest on an immigration detainer. [*See* Ex. O, August 2, 2010 detainer policy (partially superseded); Ex. K, at DHS000048; Ex. P; Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682; Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795; Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 31:4-21, 184:4-14 (testifying that the only detainer policies that exist are those that are in writing, and that the written policies apply uniformly); Ex. M, C. Schilling Dep. 141:3- 23; Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 80:21-81:3, 166:17-167:4.]
- 20. In its June 2015 I-247D and I-247X detainer training materials, ICE asserts for the first time that an immigration detainer is *not* an arrest, thus suggesting that the Fourth Amendment does not apply to immigration detainers as a matter of law. [Ex. J, at DHS 002681 ("Although a detainer is not an arrest . . . as a matter of policy DHS requires probable cause"); Ex. II, at DHS002794 ("Although a detainer is not an arrest, as a matter of policy, DHS requires that prior to issuing a detainer, an immigration officer must possess probable cause that the subject is a removable alien.").] Previously, ICE took a different view on this issue, conceding that a detainer is an arrest that must be supported by probable cause. [Ex. Q, at DHS

- 000098 ("A detainer [that requests detention] is an arrest that must be supported by probable cause."); Ex. R, at DHS2588 (referring to detainers as proxy arrests).]
- 21. As described on the June 2015 I-247D detainer form [Ex. D, at DHS002702] and the August I-247X detainer form [Ex. HH, at DHS002834], and as reiterated in its June 2015 detainer policy and training materials, as well as the I-247X training materials, ICE's only policy with respect to issuing detainers is to provide generic guidance on the types of investigative steps an agent might undertake—including biometric fingerprint identification, federal database searches, and obtaining statements from the individual. [See Ex. N, at DHS002649-50; Ex. J, at DHS002682; Ex. II, at DHS2789.]
- 22. ICE concedes that "[a]s a matter of law, ICE cannot assert its civil immigration enforcement authority to arrest and/or detain a USC [U.S. citizen]." [Ex. S; Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 81:6-19 (testifying that this statement equally applies to immigration detainers).]
- 23. Likewise, ICE has previously conceded that it must have probable cause to believe that an individual is a noncitizen who does not have legal status or has a criminal conviction(s) that would make her removable, before it can request an LEA to arrest and detain the noncitizen on an immigration detainer. [8 U.S.C. § 1357(a)(2); Ex. T (citing *United States v. Cantu*, 519 F.2d 494 (7th Cir. 1975)).]
- 24. In its June 2015 detainer training materials, ICE reiterates that "ICE cannot assert its civil immigration enforcement authority to arrest or detain a U.S. citizen (USC) or non-removable alien" [Ex. J, at DHS 002677.]
- 25. ICE does not have any written policy instructing its agents on how to establish probable cause to believe that a targeted individual is a noncitizen and removable from the United States before issuing a detainer. [Ex. O, August 2, 2010 detainer policy (partially

superseded); Ex. P, Dec. 21, 2012 detainer policy (superseding in part August 2, 2010 policy); Ex. K, Secure Communities detainer procedures, at DHS000048; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682 (training materials on issuing June 2015 I-247D detainers); Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650 (June 10, 2015 detainer policy); Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795 (August 2015 I-247X detainer training materials); Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 31:4-21, 184:4-14 (testifying that the only detainer policies that exist are those that are in writing, and that the written policies apply uniformly), 56:20-64:8.]

- 26. For example, ICE does not have a written policy or checklist requiring or advising agents to gather and analyze information showing place of birth; date of birth; whether the individual is an LPR and (if so) when that status was obtained; whether the individual is in another lawful status (asylee, visa holder); whether the individual has a criminal conviction that makes her removable; whether the individual naturalized to U.S. citizenship; whether the individual has a U.S. citizen parent and when the U.S. citizen parent obtained citizenship; or whether the individual may have acquired or derived U.S. citizenship automatically through a parent's citizenship. [*Id.*; *See* Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 57:5-21, 80:5-17, 92:15-93:12; Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 48:21-49:1, 56:20-64:8.] An ICE agent might ask questions that elicit this information only after the individual has already been arrested on the detainer and brought into ICE's physical custody. [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 210:15-211:5, 213:5-7.]
- 27. ICE does not require its agents to investigate whether an individual's parent or parents are U.S. citizens—information necessary to determine whether the individual may have derived or acquired U.S. citizenship automatically through the parents' citizenship—before issuing a detainer. [Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650; Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 57:25-58:4, 62:14-63:9 (discussing Dec. 21, 2012 detainer policy).]

- 28. ICE admits that there are numerous ways by which a foreign-born individual could acquire or derive citizenship by operation of law through a U.S. citizen parent, either at birth (e.g., named Plaintiff Jose Jimenez Moreno) or while a minor through a parent's naturalization (e.g., proposed intervenor Sergey Mayorov). [Ex. S, at DHS002751 ("[T]he INA and various related statutes codify numerous avenues by which an individual may derive, acquire, or otherwise obtain U.S. citizenship other than through birth in the United States"); Ex. U, Defs.' Resp. to Pls.' Second Set of Req. for Admission, Req. No. 52; *see, e.g.*, 8 U.S.C. § 1401 (a)(7)(1976) (statute under which named Plaintiff Jose Jimenez Moreno acquired U.S. citizenship at birth) and Ex. GG; 8 U.S.C. § 1431 (statute through which proposed intervenor Sergey Mayorov derived U.S. citizenship through his mother's naturalization) and *Mayorov v. United States*, Case No. 13-5249, Defs.' Answer, Dkt. No. 8, ¶¶ 7, 10 (N.D. Ill.).]
- 29. Moreover, ICE concedes that the criminal grounds for removability are "complex" [Ex. J, at DHS002683; *see* Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 15:24-16:20], and yet it does not require its agents to seek independent confirmation that an LPR or other lawful immigrant's conviction makes her removable. [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 48:21- 49:1, 58:16-20; Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 107:4-10, 140:9-14, 166:24-167:4, 170:2-12 (immigration detainer was issued against Plaintiff Lopez on mistaken belief that conviction for "misprision of a felony" was a controlled substance offense).]
- 30. The gaps in ICE's policies and practices regarding its investigations to establish probable of cause of alienage and removability are substantial given the number of foreignborn individuals who are either U.S. citizens or otherwise lawfully in the United States.
- 31. Over 17 million U.S. citizens of foreign birth are currently living in the United States (44% of the U.S. foreign-born population). *See Morales v. Chadbourne*, 996 F. Supp. 2d

- 19, 35 (D.R.I. 2014); U.S. Census Bureau, The Foreign Born Population in the United States: 2010 (issued May 2012), *available at* http://www.census.gov/prod/2012pubs/acs-19.pdf) (last visited Dec. 1, 2015)
- 32. Of the population of U.S. citizens of foreign birth, DHS estimates that since 1980 over 1.4 million minors with LPR status automatically derived U.S. citizenship through a parent's naturalization. [Ex. V.] Additionally, the U.S. Census Bureau estimates that as of 2013, an additional 2,584,452 U.S. citizens living in the United States were born in a foreign country, but acquired U.S. citizenship at birth through a U.S. citizen parent. [Ex. W.]
- 33. Individuals who derive or acquire U.S. citizenship through a parent are citizens by operation of law, such that they are not required to file an application for a certificate of citizenship or passport. *See Matter of Fuentes-Martinez*, 21 I. & N. Dec. 893, 896 (BIA 1997) ("A child's acquisition of citizenship on a derivative basis occurs by operation of law and not by adjudication. No application is filed, no hearing is conducted, and no certificate is issued when such citizenship is acquired. The actual determination of derivative citizenship . . . may occur long after the fact in the context of a passport application").
- 34. ICE's own data indicates that between FY2008 and FY2012, at least 834 U.S. citizens have been subjected to immigration detainers, and there are indications that the number of U.S. citizens subject to detainers could be significantly higher. [Ex. X.] ICE's Rule 30(b)(6) witness also conceded that ICE has consistently issued immigration detainers against non-removable LPRs. [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 49:11-51:15.]
- 35. As of January 2013, there were roughly 13.1 million LPRs living in the United States [Ex. V], and another 61 million individuals in another lawful status. [Ex. Y.]

- 36. In its June 2015 detainer training materials and the I-247X training materials, ICE includes a 10-point bullet list of "red flags"—such as information about a subject's biological or adoptive parent's U.S. citizenship—that may indicate that the subject may be a U.S. citizen and thus warranting further review and investigation to establish probable cause of alienage and removability. [See J, at DHS002684-2685; Ex. II, at DHS002797-2798.]
- 37. Still, ICE has no policy or practice requiring or advising its agents to gather and analyze the information that ICE concedes are "red flags" requiring further review and investigation to establish probable cause of alienage and removability. [See Ex. J, at DHS0002689-2700 (hypotheticals).]
- 38. On November 10, 2015, ICE issued superseding guidance for "Investigating the Potential U.S. Citizenship of Individuals Encountered by ICE"—in which ICE includes a new detainer policy for how ICE agents are to conduct a further investigation when the "red flags" of possible U.S. citizenship are discovered, defined as "Indicia of Potential U.S. citizenship" in the new guidance (hereinafter "Nov. 10, 2015 USC guidance"). [Ex. S; *compare* Ex. S, at DHS002752 *with* Ex. J, at DHS002684-2685 *and* Ex. II, at DHS002797-2798.]
- 39. According to the November 10, 2015 USC guidance, it is only when an "Indicia of Potential U.S. Citizenship" is uncovered that ICE agents are advised to conduct a more thorough investigation that "may include a review of the A-file and other pertinent documents, an interview of the individual, searches of vital records databases, interviews of family

¹ Notably, "Hypothetical # 3" (DHS002693-2694) is based on an actual damages lawsuit brought by another U.S. citizen unlawfully subject to an immigration detainer. *See Makowski v. United States*, Case No. 12-cv-5265, Am. Compl., Dkt. No. 45 (N.D. Ill. filed July 3, 2012) (Gottschall, J.). Mr. Makowski, in fact, obtained U.S. citizen at the age of one through his adoptive parents, but the agency never updated its electronic records to reflect his citizenship. *Id.* Mr. Makowski was unlawfully subjected to immigration detainers twice, the second one resulting in him serving seventy days in prison. *Id.*

members and other individuals in possession of relevant information, and other appropriate investigation." [Ex. S, at DHS002754.]

- 40. However, unless an ICE agent conducts an interview of the subject individual and/or other relevant individuals, ICE's standard detainer investigative practices—relying on a fingerprint or manual search of the subject in four DHS databases (CIS, CLAIMS, TECS, ENFORCE) [see, e.g., Ex. K, at DHS00048, DHS00060 (checklist showing the standard four DHS databases reviewed); Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 57:5-59:12, 74:5-75:15; 157:23-158:13]—would never uncover sufficient evidence to satisfy at least 7 out of the 10 "Indicia of Potential U.S. Citizenship" to trigger the more thorough investigation. [See Ex. S, at DHS 002752.]
- 41. The 10 "Indicia of Potential U.S. Citizenship" from the Nov. 10, 2015 USC guidance with the information in bold that cannot be found based on a fingerprint or manual search of a targeted individual in the four DHS databases are:
 - i. An immigration judge, legal representative, or purported family member indicates to ICE that the individual is or may be a U.S. citizen;
 - ii. There is some information suggesting that the individual was born in the United States, as defined in INA § 101(a)(38), or a past or present U.S. territorial possession such as the Panama Canal Zone;
 - iii. There is some information suggesting that one or more of the individual's parents, grandparents, or foreign-born siblings are or were U.S. citizens, particularly when the timeline for the physical presence of these family members in the United States is incomplete;
 - iv. The individual entered the United States as a lawful permanent resident when he or she was a minor and has at least one parent who is a U.S. citizen:
 - v. There is some information suggesting that the individual was adopted by a U.S. citizen;
 - vi. An application for naturalization, a U.S. passport, or a certificate of citizenship has been filed by the individual or on the individual's behalf and remains pending;

- vii. The individual has served in the U.S. Armed Forces;
- viii. The individual equivocates (or is unsure) about his or her date and/or place of birth and appears to be under the age of 21 years old;
- ix. **The individual** has been present in the United States since before his or her fifth birthday and **does not know who his or her parents are**; and/or
- x. The individual was born abroad out of wedlock and there is information suggesting that one or both of his or her parents may have been U.S. citizens, but the initially available information is inconclusive regarding physical and legal custody and/ or legitimation.

[See Ex. S, at DHS 002752.]

- 42. A search of a targeted individual in the four DHS databases will reveal at most the first names of the individual's parents. [See Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 153:11-155:7.]
- 43. ICE has no policy regarding when officers should or must interview an individual or parents before issuing a detainer. [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 58:21-59:13; Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 58:7-14; Ex. O, August 2, 2010 detainer policy (partially superseded); Ex. P, Dec. 21, 2012 detainer policy (superseding in part August 2, 2010 policy); Ex. K, Secure Communities detainer procedures, at DHS000048; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682 (training materials on issuing June 2015 I-247D detainers); Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650 (June 10, 2015 detainer policy); Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795 (training materials on using the I-247X form as a detainer).]
- 44. In many circumstances, as a matter of practice, ICE agents simply do not conduct interviews before issuing detainers. [Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 33:12-18, 34:15-18, 58:7-14, 141:25-142:1.] In other circumstances, ICE agents are unable to conduct interviews in LEA custody. [Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 120:2-12; Ex. S, at DHS002755 ("subparagraph g").]

- 45. ICE agents usually do not review an individual or his parents' immigration files (a/k/a Alien file or A-file) before issuing a detainer. [Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 75:2-15; Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 141:15-144:17 (showing Plaintiff Lopez's detainer was issued without review of her Alien file).]
- 46. ICE concedes that the completeness and accuracy of DHS's database information becomes increasingly unreliable from the 1990s going backward. [Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 150:2-152:4; *see* Ex. Z, DHS, Privacy Impact Assessment, "Central Index System," at 10 (June 22, 2007) ("All information in the system that is shared in DHS serves as an initial screening process to provide a quick look at a person's basic information . . . to determine if there is a need to request the physical file").]

B. Statutory Requirements for Warrantless Arrests

- 47. As part of the process of issuing immigration detainers, ICE's policies and practices do not require any individualized determination that the class member is "likely to escape before a warrant can be obtained for his arrest." [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 59:18-60:24; Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 66:2-18; Ex. O, August 2, 2010 detainer policy (partially superseded); Ex. P, Dec. 21, 2012 detainer policy (superseding in part August 2, 2010 policy), DHS000112-114; Ex. K, Secure Communities detainer procedures, at DHS000048; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682 (training materials on issuing June 2015 I-247D detainers); Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650 (June 10, 2015 detainer policy); Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795 (training materials on using the I-247X form as a detainer).]
- 48. As part of the process of issuing immigration detainers, ICE agents do not make any determination at all that the class member is "likely to escape before a warrant can be obtained for his arrest." [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 59:18-60:24; Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 66:2-18;

- Ex. O, August 2, 2010 detainer policy (partially superseded); Ex. P, Dec. 21, 2012 detainer policy (superseding in part August 2, 2010 policy), DHS000112-114; Ex. K, Secure Communities detainer procedures, at DHS000048; Ex. J, at DHS002670-2673, 2679-2682 (training materials on issuing June 2015 I-247D detainers); Ex. N, at DHS002649-2650 (June 10, 2015 detainer policy); Ex. II, at DHS002788-2790, 2793-2795 (training materials on using the I-247X form as a detainer).]
- 49. Nevertheless, the legacy Immigration and Naturalization Service ["INS"] manual on arrests, searches, and seizures advised with regard to detainers that "[s]ince it is difficult to establish that these aliens are likely to abscond before a warrant can be obtained to support an arrest without warrant under section 287(a)(2) of the Act [8 U.S.C. § 1357(a)(2)], a warrant of arrest should be issued and served upon the alien." [See Ex. Q, at DHS000098.]
- 50. Upon having a class member arrested on a detainer, ICE does not follow any practice or policy of having the class member brought "without unnecessary delay" before an immigration judge. [8 U.S.C. § 1357(a)(2); Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 71:4-7; Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 114:13-22; Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 166:17-167:4; Ex. M, C. Schilling Dep. 141:3-24.]
- 51. Upon having a class member arrested on a detainer, ICE does not follow any practice or policy of bringing the class member before an immigration judge within 48 hours after the arrest. [8 U.S.C. § 1357(a)(2); Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 71:4-7; Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 114:13-22; Ex. L, J. Antia Dep. 166:17-167:4; Ex. M, C. Schilling Dep. 141:3-24.]
- 52. Rather, ICE requests that the LEA arrest and detain the class member for up to a full 48 hours beyond when he should have been released so that ICE can assume custody of the individual, without any contemplation of promptly bringing the class member before an

immigration judge. [*See* Memo. Op. & Order on Class Certification, Dkt. # 146, at 3; Ex. D, at DHS 0002702; Ex. N, at DHS002650; Ex. HH.]

C. ICE's Policies & Practices Regarding Service and Opportunity to Challenge

- 53. ICE's policies and practices regarding service of a detainer on a class member and an opportunity to challenge the detainer have evolved somewhat over the course of this class action but have not materially changed.
- 54. ICE agents typically do not serve a copy of a detainer on a class member, instead usually faxing or delivering it to the LEA where the class member is in custody. [Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 86:15-18, 170:16-171:17; Ex. M, C. Schilling Dep. 48:14-19; Ex. AA, at DHS000232; Ex. BB.]
- 55. Under the August 2010 detainer form, there was no requirement or provision contemplating that the detainee would receive a copy of the detainer and no mechanism to challenge the detainer. [See Ex. G.]
- 56. Under the December 2011 and December 2012 detainer forms, ICE requested but did not require that LEAs provide individuals with a copy of their detainers [Exs. H & I] or track whether this occurred. [Ex. C, at RFAs No. 4-6; Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 129:16-130:22, 137:4-16; Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 111:4-114:12.]
- 57. Under the June 2015 I-247D and August 2015 I-247X detainers, ICE still requests but does not require that LEAs serve class members with copies of their detainers, and the request does not expressly include the addendum "Notice to Detainee" on page 2 and 3. [Ex. D; Ex. HH.] ICE advises LEAs that its request to detain "only takes effect if you serve a copy of this form on the subject." [Ex. D; Ex. HH.]

- 58. ICE has no written policy for tracking service of detainers or the consequences if an LEA detains a class member on a detainer without serving the class member with a copy. [See generally Exs. N, J, CC, and II.]
- 59. Under the December 2011, December 2012, June 2015 I-247D, and August I-247X detainer forms, ICE developed a "Notice to Detainee" addendum to the detainer form, which includes (after a lengthy advisal) a telephone number by which individuals who claim to be U.S. citizens could "advise" DHS. [hereinafter "USC telephone number"]. [Exs. H, I, D, and HH.] In practice, the "Notice to Detainee" (on pages 2 & 3 of the sample December 2011, December 2012, June 2015 I-247D and August I-247X detainers) is reduced down to one page when a detainer is issued. [Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 112:4-20.]
- 60. Although the form purports to offer a telephone number for U.S. citizens, it does not describe any telephone number available to individuals who might have other claims against a detainer, such as named Plaintiff Maria Jose Lopez, who is a nonremovable LPR.

 [See Exs. H, I, D, and HH; Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 137:17-138:4.]
- 61. There is no ICE policy that requires the subjects of detainers to be informed of the telephone number for U.S. citizens. [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 141:10-13.] In order to contact the U.S citizen telephone number, the subject must either have access to a telephone free of charge through the LEA or have sufficient funds to make calls. [See generally Ex. DD.]
- 62. Through the telephone number, individuals speak with DHS contractors, not with any DHS official with authority to cancel a detainer or with training in immigration and citizenship law. [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 136:10-24, 142:24-143:18; *see generally* Ex. DD.]
- 63. After the DHS contractor conducts a short interview of the caller, DHS's written policy instructs the contractor: "If the caller responds positively to any of the questions or,

based on the information the caller provides, **you believe they have a viable claim** to U.S. Citizenship, immediately refer the call to an [ICE Agent] to validate the claim." [Ex. DD, at DHS000133 (emphasis added).]

- 64. DHS policy does not instruct the ICE agent to interview the caller, request the individual or his parents' Alien files, or conduct any other further interviews or investigations into vital records. [Ex. DD, at DHS000133.] Instead, DHS instructs the ICE agent to repeat the same database checks that supposedly occurred prior to issuing the detainer. [*Id.*] If the database records are inconclusive, the ICE agent is simply to transfer the claim of citizenship to the Field Office that issued the detainer. [*Id.*.]
- 65. DHS has no policy of notifying individuals of the results of its inquiries into their claims of U.S. citizenship. [Ex. E, P. Miller Dep. 158:2-14.]
- 66. DHS never involves an immigration judge or other detached and neutral judicial officers in any detainer challenge placed through the telephone number. [See generally Ex. DD.]

IV. Named Plaintiffs and Their Detainers

- 67. Although he was born in Mexico, Plaintiff Moreno acquired U.S. citizenship at birth from his U.S. citizen father. [See Exs. A & GG.]
- 68. Plaintiff Moreno always believed that he was a U.S. citizen but did not know how to prove it to government officials. [Ex. EE, J. Moreno Dep. 12:16-14:3, 40:19-41:10, 42:2-44:22, 48:13-49:16, 80:15-81:24.]
- 69. Prior to his arrest, Plaintiff Moreno had hired an immigration attorney and gathered substantial evidence of his U.S. citizenship. [*See* Ex. EE, J. Moreno Dep. 40:19-41:10, 42:2-44:22 48:13-49:16, 52:5-20.]

- 70. On March 22, 2011, the morning after his arrest by the LEA, ICE faxed an immigration detainer to the Winnebago County Sheriff requesting that the LEA arrest Plaintiff Moreno pursuant to the detainer once the LEA's detention authority expired. [Ex. AA.]
- 71. The detainer against Plaintiff Moreno was issued pursuant to ICE's standard detainer policies and practices. [See supra ¶¶ 14-66; Ex. M, C. Schilling 139:24- 141:23; 151:3-152:21; Ex. AA.]
- 72. Within days of Plaintiff Moreno's filing the present lawsuit, ICE cancelled his detainer due to the substantial evidence of his U.S. citizenship. [See Ex. JJ; Ex. F, K. Kauffman Dep. 188:1-14.]
- 73. Plaintiff Moreno has subsequently obtained a certificate of U.S. citizenship that demonstrated that he was a citizen from the date of his birth on September 15, 1976. [Ex. A.]
- 74. Plaintiff Lopez entered the United States as a Lawful Permanent Resident on August 5, 1997, at the age of 15 years old. [See Ex. KK.]
- 75. Plaintiff Lopez is the mother and primary caregiver to three U.S. citizen children. [Ex. FF, M. Lopez Dep. 29:4-16, 55:14-56:7.]
- 76. On November 10, 2010, Plaintiff Lopez pled guilty to one count of "misprision of felony," which Plaintiff Lopez explained at her deposition means "giv[ing] false information to law enforcement." [Ex. LL; Ex. FF, M. Lopez Dep. 20:15-21:9; 18 U.S.C. § 4.]
- 77. At no time was Plaintiff Lopez removable from the United States based on her conviction for "misprision of felony" or any other reason. [See Defs.' Answer to Am. Compl., Dkt. # 82, ¶14; Ex. C, at Request No. 9; Defs.' Mem. in Opp. to Class Certification, Dkt. # 109, at 3.]

- 78. On February 1, 2011, ICE issued an immigration detainer against Plaintiff Lopez, requesting that the LEA arrest Plaintiff Lopez pursuant to the detainer once the LEA's detention authority expired. [Defs.' Answer to Am. Compl., Dkt. # 82, ¶14; Ex. BB.]
- 79. The detainer against Plaintiff Lopez was issued pursuant to ICE's standard detainer policies and practices. [See supra ¶¶ 14-66; Ex. L, J. Antia 164:7-167:4, 169:20-170:12, 201:9- 202:21; Ex. BB; Ex. LL.]
- 80. In issuing the detainer, ICE agent Antia mistakenly believed that "misprision of felony" was a drug offense. [Ex. L, J. Antia 201:9- 202:21.] On August 12, 2011, the day after Plaintiff Lopez filed the present lawsuit, ICE cancelled her detainer. [Ex. MM.]

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