

**2025 Detained Master Calendar and Bond Hearing-Immigration Court Observation**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Observer (full name): \_\_\_\_\_

Shift start time:  8:30  10:00 or 10:30  1:30  3:00

**GENERAL**

1. A#: \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Country of origin : \_\_\_\_\_

3. Gender:  Male  Female  Trans./ non-binary  Unsure  respondent didn't appear, Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Judge:  Carr  Ivany  Mazzie  Miller  Sardelli  Wood  Zaske  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

5. DHS Attorney: \_\_\_\_\_  didn't appear

6. Was the respondent represented today?  Yes  No, pro se  Attorney failed to appear

Comment (incl. name if possible): \_\_\_\_\_

7. Detention Location:  Freeborn  Kandiyohi  Sherburne  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

IHP (Prison): \_\_\_\_\_  Unknown

8. Respondent's (R's) best language: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Did court find interpreter in R's best language?:  Yes  No If no, what language provided? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Interpretation issues :  None  Incomplete  Technical problems  Unable to find  Not in best language

Attorney waived Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

**BOND HEARING**

11. Did respondent request bond?  No  Yes -bond hearing held today  Yes-bond hearing **NOT** held today  Unsure

12. Bond amount requested? \$ \_\_\_\_\_  No amount specified

13. Respondent argument/evidence: \_\_\_\_\_

14. DHS's principle argument: \_\_\_\_\_

DHS did not speak

15. Outcome:  Bond Granted  Bond Denied  IJ no jurisdiction  Withdrew bond request  Continuance

Advised request hearing when ready  IJ will issue written decision

16. If Granted, Bond Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

17. If denied, why?  Ineligible/mandatory detention  Danger to society  Flight risk  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18. What factors were mentioned in granting or denying bond? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Did parties reserve appeal on bond? DHS:  Yes  No, waived Respondent:  Yes  No, waived  Judge didn't ask

**REMOVAL HEARING**

20. How did respondent get into ICE custody? \_\_\_\_\_

Not discussed

21. Pleadings taken today?  Yes  No If yes, select all that apply:  concedes all in NTA  denies some or all in NTA

denies receipt of NTA  denies understanding NTA  attorney doesn't have NTA  declines designate country

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

22. Did judge screen for eligibility for relief?  No  Yes, eligible to apply  Yes, **ineligible** for any form of relief

23. Application:  Not Discussed  Given today  Given previously  Filed previously  Atty will file  Unsure

Other Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

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24. Relief applications discussed as potentially eligible?  Not discussed

Cancellation:  42A (LPR)  42B  I-589  Asylum /  WOR /  CAT  U-Visa or T-Visa  
 Voluntary Departure  Adjustment of Status (I-485)  Other/ unsure: \_\_\_\_\_

25. Did judge explain evidentiary rights today?  Yes  No  Unsure

26. Did judge explain all applications & evidence must be in English/ save copy for self?  Yes  No  Unsure

27. Did judge give application filing deadline:?  Yes, date: \_\_\_\_\_  No  Unsure

28. Comment about relief application discussion: \_\_\_\_\_

29. Did respondent asked to be removed (deported)?  Yes  No If asked for deportation, what did respondent say?  
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30. DHS's principle argument: \_\_\_\_\_  didn't speak

31. Today's Outcome:  Case continued  Removal order (Deportation)  Termination/Dismissal  Trial queue  
 Relief granted. Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

32. If case continued, next hearing Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

33. If removal order, did judge give advisal about consequences of unauthorized return, bars to relief, fines for non-cooperation?  Yes  No  Unsure  Not applicable Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

34. If judge made final decision did parties reserve appeal?  Not applicable

DHS:  Yes  No, waived Respondent:  Yes  No, waived  Judge didn't ask  Unsure

**CRIMINAL HISTORY**

35. Arrests or convictions?  Not Discussed  No criminal Hx  Has at least one arrest  Has at least one conviction

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**EQUITIES**

36. Length of time in the US: \_\_\_\_\_  Unknown. Check if likely recent arrival to US?

37. Family in the US?  Yes: \_\_\_\_\_  No  Unknown

38. Supporters in court?  Family  Other supporters  Can't tell  None  Supporters acknowledged

**WELLBEING**

39. Any concern about mental health, physical illness, or competency  Yes  No  Unsure

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

40. Complaints or comments about conditions in detention: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  None stated

41. **IMPRESSIONS:** Use this space for comments, questions, quotes, and impressions

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