

AFFIDAVIT/STATEMENT SAMPLE



AFFIDAVIT OF SUPPORT FOR [HABEAS CORPUS / REQUEST FOR BOND OR PAROLE]

I, [Full Name], being duly sworn, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the following is true and correct to the best of my knowledge as follows:

1. My name is [Full Name]. I am providing this affidavit in support of a request for [Habeas Corpus/Bond/Parole] so that I may be released while my immigration case continues.
2. I am currently detained by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) at [Facility Name]. My alien registration number is A[Enter Number here].
3. [Immigration History] I first entered the United States on [date/year] by [type of entry]. I have [describe immigration history briefly: applications filed, asylum claim, prior relief, pending I-130/I-589/I-730/etc.]. I intend to fully pursue my immigration case and appear for every court date or ICE appointment required of me.
4. [Reason for Requesting Release] I respectfully request release because my continued detention is causing serious hardship to myself and my family. The conditions of my detention have affected my physical health, mental health, and ability to communicate with my attorney and gather evidence for my case.
5. [Optional: Describe any medical conditions, mental health concerns, or vulnerabilities. Example: "I suffer from asthma / diabetes / hypertension, which has worsened during detention, I have a sick child that need extensive medical treatment."]
6. [Family and Community Ties] I Have been living in the U.S. for [Number of years in the U.S.], I am married and have three children born in the U.S. [list spouse, children, parents, siblings, etc. Be cautious if spouse or children do not have legal status]. I have strong community ties in the U.S. I [described ties to church, volunteer activities, community groups, business owner]. I have also been working to support my family [describe jobs you held, employer name, years worked]. My family depends on me for [financial support/childcare/emotional support/etc.].



7. [Housing and Support Plan] If I am released, I have a safe and stable place to live with [full name of sponsor] at [full address]. My sponsor has provided a letter agreeing to support me and ensure that I comply with all immigration requirements. I will live at that address and remain in contact with my attorney and with ICE at all times during the duration of my case.
8. [Court Compliance and Flight Risk] I am not a flight risk because, I have strong ties to the U.S. [Explain family, employment and community ties]. I want to continue my immigration case. I understand the importance of attending every hearing. I have a stable residence to return to, and I am fully committed to complying with all conditions of my release.
9. [Lack of Danger to the Community] I am not a danger to the community. I have never been involved in violence or harmed anyone. [If applicable: "I have no criminal convictions," or "I take full responsibility for my past mistakes and have completed all requirements."]
10. [Impact of Detention on Legal Case (Important for Habeas)] Detention has made it very difficult to gather evidence, obtain documents, and communicate with my attorney. Phone access, legal visitation limitations, and detention restrictions make it nearly impossible for me to prepare my case. My detention is harming my ability to pursue my legal rights.
11. [Hardship to Family] My detention has caused significant hardship to my family, including: [explain financial hardship],[explain childcare issues],[explain emotional/health impacts]. My family relies on me, and my continued detention is creating suffering that could be relieved if I am released.
12. [Declaration] I am providing this affidavit to respectfully request release under [habeas corpus, bond, or parole]. Everything in this affidavit is true and correct based on my personal knowledge. I request that the Court/ICE consider my history, community ties, support plan, and the harm that continued detention is causing.

Signature [Full Name]

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
Executed on this ___ day of _____, 20, at [Name of Detention Facility].

[Full Name of Detained Person]

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