

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

PRESIDENT AND FELLOWS OF  
HARVARD COLLEGE; and  
MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF  
TECHNOLOGY,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
HOMELAND SECURITY; U.S.  
IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS  
ENFORCEMENT; CHAD F. WOLF, in his  
official capacity as Acting Secretary of the  
United States Department of Homeland  
Security; and MATTHEW ALBENCE, in his  
official capacity as Acting Director of U.S.  
Immigration and Customs Enforcement,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:20-cv-11283

**REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT**

**MOTION FOR A TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 65, Plaintiffs move for the issuance of an order temporarily restraining Defendants from enforcing the policy announced in United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement's July 6, 2020 Directive (Complaint, Ex. 1) and from promulgating that policy as a Final Rule.

The Directive is contrary to law, arbitrary and capricious, and an abuse of discretion. 5 U.S.C. § 706. It is also procedurally defective under the Administrative Procedure Act. *Id.* § 553. Plaintiffs will suffer immediate and irreparable harm in the absence of the requested relief.

Plaintiffs respectfully request that this Court schedule a hearing on this matter today, July 8, 2020, or as soon as is otherwise practicable. In support of this motion, Plaintiffs rely on the

accompanying Memorandum and supporting exhibits and declarations, as well as their Complaint for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief.

Dated: July 8, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

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**RULE 7.1(A)(2) CERTIFICATE**

I, Felicia H. Ellsworth, hereby certify that on July 8, 2020, counsel for Plaintiffs provided notice to and attempted to confer in good faith with counsel for the Defendants to discuss whether it would be possible to resolve or narrow the issues that this Motion presents.

/s/ Felicia H. Ellsworth  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Felicia H. Ellsworth, counsel for Plaintiffs, hereby certify that this document has been filed through the Court's ECF system and will be sent electronically to the registered participants as identified on the Notice of Electronic Filing (NEF). This document is being sent by express courier to the Defendants at the addresses below and by email.

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**[PROPOSED] TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER**

The Court hereby **ORDERS** Defendants to refrain from implementing their July 6, 2020 Directive, and to refrain from promulgating any rule implementing the policy set out in that document, for fourteen days. The Court further **ORDERS** Defendants to continue to comply with ICE's March 13 Guidance.

**SO ORDERED.**

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United States District Judge

Boston, Massachusetts

Date: \_\_\_\_\_