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8 **United States District Court**
9 **Central District of California**
10 **Western Division**
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12 JOSE HERNANDEZ VELASZQUEZ,

13 Petitioner,

14 v.

15 CHAD T. WOLF, *et al.*,

16 Respondents.
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EDCV 20-00627 TJH (GJS)

Temporary Restraining
Order
and
Order to Show Cause

19 The Court has considered the application for a temporary restraining order
20 seeking immediate release, filed in connection with a petition for a writ of *habeas*
21 *corpus*, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241, challenging the conditions of confinement, by
22 Petitioner **Jose Hernandez Velaszquez**, together with the moving and opposing papers.

23 Petitioner is, currently, detained at the Adelanto Detention Center [“Adelanto”],
24 in San Bernardino County, which is within the Central District of California. Petitioner
25 asserts that, in light of the COVID-19 pandemic, the conditions of his confinement are,
26 now, unconstitutional. Petitioner has a history of various criminal convictions, but he
27 has completed his criminal sentences and is, now, a civil detainee.

28 The Court incorporates by reference into this order the factual and legal grounds

1 supporting emergency injunctive relief, namely, immediate release, set forth in the
2 Court's orders issued in *Castillo v. Barr*, CV 20-00605-TJH (AFMx)(C.D. Cal. Mar.
3 27, 2020), ECF No. 32; and *Hernandez v. Wolf*, CV 20-60017-TJH (KSx)(C.D. Cal.
4 Apr. 1, 2020), ECF No. 17.

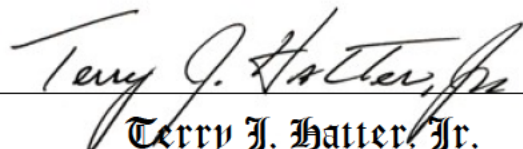
5 Based on the incorporated factual and legal grounds, and the facts and arguments
6 presented, here,

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8 **It is Ordered** that the application for a temporary restraining order be, and
9 hereby is, **Granted**.

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11 **It is further Ordered** that Respondents shall, by 5:00 p.m. on April 2, 2020,
12 release Petitioner Jose Hernandez Velasquez from custody pending further order of
13 this Court.

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15 **It is further Ordered** that Respondents shall show cause, if they have any,
16 as to why the Court should not issue a preliminary injunction in this case.
17 Respondents' response, if any, to this order to show cause shall be filed by Noon on
18 April 8, 2020. Petitioner's reply, if any, to Respondents' response shall be filed by
19 Noon on April 13, 2020. The matter will then stand submitted.

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21 Date: April 2, 2020

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24 **Terry J. Hatter, Jr.**
25 **Senior United States District Judge**
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