

DATE

NAME OF WARDEN, Warden

Name of Detention Center

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

By FAX to XXX-XXX-XXXX and by EMAIL to _____

Re: Release of Inmate NAME OF INMATE

Dear _____:

I write regarding the release of inmate NAME OF INMATE. Our understanding is that Mr. NAME OF INMATE has paid the child support he owed and that his family was given a release form on Monday March 9, 2009 at around 3:00pm. At this time, he would have been released, except for the issuance of an immigration detainer.

An immigration detainer requests a local law enforcement agency to detain a named individual who would otherwise be released for up to 48 hours, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. See 8 C.F.R. § 287.7. Please see the attached factsheet on immigration detainers for further information on the limited authority provided by immigration detainers issued by Immigrations and Customs Enforcement.

The detainer on Mr. NAME OF INMATE therefore expires at 3:00pm today, March 11, 2009. Mr. NAME OF INMATE must be released at this time if Immigration and Customs Enforcement officials have not yet assumed custody. You can contact me by phone at XXX-XXX-XXX or via email, _____.

Sincerely,

_____, Esq.
Staff Attorney