

Petitioner is no longer in custody.¹ Respondent contends the habeas petition is moot. (*Id.*)

A habeas petition “generally becomes moot when [a petitioner] is released from custody” because there is no longer “an actual injury traceable to the defendant and likely to be redressed by a favorable judicial decision.” *Vasquez v. Aviles*, 639 F. App’x 898, 902 (3d Cir. 2016) (quoting *DeFoy v. McCullough*, 393 F.3d 439, 442 (3d Cir. 2005)). The present petition no longer presents a case or controversy under Article III, § 2 of the United States Constitution because Petitioner is no longer detained by ICE. *See id.* (finding petition moot where there were no collateral consequences that could be addressed by success on the petition after removal) (citing *Abdala v. I.N.S.*, 488 F.3d 1061, 1064 (9th Cir. 2007)). Therefore, the petition is dismissed as moot.

An appropriate Order follows.

Date: May 10, 2017
At Newark, New Jersey

s/ John Michael Vazquez
JOHN MICHAEL VAZQUEZ
United States District Judge

¹ U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Online Detainee Locator, available at <https://locator.ice.gov/odls/searchByAlienNumber.do>