

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	)	
	)	
	)	No. 24 CR 424
	)	
v.	)	Judge Jeremy C. Daniel
	)	
FRANCESCO DISTEFANO	)	
	)	

ORDER EXONERATING BOND

This matter coming before the Court on the government's unopposed motion; the Court being fully advised finds as follows:

(a) Pursuant to a Pre-Trial Release Order entered on April 24, 2025, Sam Distefano and Connie Distefano, as Trustees of the Distefano Family Living Trust Dated the 5th day of December, 2016, posted their interest in certain real property to secure the defendant's release on bond. As a result, the property was encumbered pending the defendant's completion of the bond requirements.

(b) As the defendant's bond was subsequently revoked, and defendant was remanded to the custody of the U.S. Marshal, the government submitted its motion to exonerate the bond. In addition, the government requested that this Court order the release of any liens or other encumbrances lodged against the real property as it relates to this bond and further order that the quit claim deeds executed in favor of the United States of America, currently held in the custody of the Clerk of the United

States District Court, Northern District of Illinois, be returned to the sureties at the property address.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED, DIRECTED, and ADJUDGED:

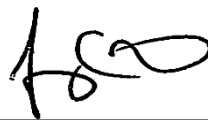
1. That, as the defendant's bond was revoked and he was remanded to the custody of the U.S. Marshal, the Court thus orders the bond exonerated. It is further ordered,

2. That, any liens or other encumbrances lodged against the real property as it relates to this bond shall be released. It is further ordered,

3. That, the quit claim deeds executed in favor of the United States of America, currently held in the custody of the Clerk of the United States District Court, Northern District of Illinois, shall be returned to the sureties at the property address. It is further ordered,

4. That this Court shall retain jurisdiction of this matter to take such additional action and enter further orders as necessary to implement and enforce this order.

ENTER:



JEREMY C. DANIEL
United States District Judge

DATED: January 22, 2026