## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE **EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW EL PASO IMMIGRATION COURT** 700 EAST SAN ANTONIO AVENUE, SUITE 750 EL PASO, TEXAS 79901

## STANDING ORDER: TELEPHONIC APPEARANCES AND REQUESTS TO CONTINUE DUE TO COVID-19 CONCERNS IN CASES BEFORE THE EL PASO **IMMIGRATION COURT**

Effective immediately, and for as long as the State of Texas continues to operate under a State of Disaster due to COVID-19, any attorney for any party may appear telephonically in cases before the El Paso Immigration Court without prior approval and without filing a motion in advance. Attorneys who would like to appear telephonically, either with or without the respondent(s), for a particular case should contact the El Paso Immigration Court by telephone at (915) 534-6020, fifteen minutes prior to the scheduled hearing and provide the court with a landline telephone number at which they may be reached. Also, during this time period, requests to continue cases due to COVID-19 concerns should be filed with the Court with as much notice as possible.

Immigration Judge

Nathan L. Herbert Immigration Judge