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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF BLAIR COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
CRIMINAL DIVISION

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

NO. CP-07-CR-2724-2024

VS.

LUIGI NICHOLAS MANGIONE,
Defendant

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CLERK OF ORPHANS COURT

HON. JACKIE ATHERTON BERNARD	PRESIDING JUDGE
PETER J. WEEKS, ESQUIRE	DISTRICT ATTORNEY
NICHOLE SMITH, ESQUIRE	FIRST ASST. DISTRICT ATTORNEY
THOMAS DICKEY, ESQUIRE	COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT

WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS AD PROSEQUENDUM

AND NOW, this 8th day of September, 2025, a "PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS AD PROSEQUENDUM" filed by District Attorney Peter J. Weeks and First Assistant District Attorney Nichole Smith, for the attendance of the Defendant, Luigi Nicholas Mangione, now confined in the Metropolitan Detention Center, Brooklyn, New York is pending and the Court further having received confirmation that the Defendant is not objecting to the WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS AD PROSEQUENDUM (see Exhibit A), entry of the following is deemed appropriate:

THIS COURT CERTIFIES AS FOLLOWS, THAT:

1. On December 9, 2024, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, by and through the Altoona Police Department charged the Defendant with Forgery, a felony of the

third degree, (18 Pa. C.S.A. § 4101(a)(3)), Firearms not to be Carried without a License, a felony of the third degree, (18 Pa. C.S.A. § 6106(a)(1)), Tampering with Records or Identification, a misdemeanor of the first degree, (18 Pa. C.S.A. § 4101(a)), Possessing Instruments of crime, a misdemeanor of the first degree, (18 Pa. C.S.A. § 907(a)), and False Identification to Law Enforcement, a misdemeanor of the third degree, (18 Pa. C.S.A. § 4914(a)). See Exhibit A.

2. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, by and through the Blair County District Attorney's Office, filed a Criminal Information at CP-07-CR-2724-2024, relative to the aforementioned criminal charges.
3. The defense filed an Omnibus Pretrial Motion and the Court scheduled a hearing for November 7, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Courtroom No. 1 of the Blair County Courthouse, Hollidaysburg, Pennsylvania.
4. The Court has been advised by District Attorney Weeks that the Defendant is presently confined in the Metropolitan Detention Center ("MDC") pursuant to federal charges.
5. The MDC, located at 80 29th St., Brooklyn, New York, 11232, is operated by the Federal Bureau of Prisons, an agency of the United States Department of Justice.
6. The federal authorities confirmed through written notification to the Blair County District Attorney that they will not release or transport the Defendant for Blair County, Pennsylvania proceedings, but rather will make the Defendant available by two-way simultaneous audio-visual communication for the proceedings in Blair County.

7. The Defendant, through his Counsel, has advised the Court that he does not wish to waive his right to be physically present in the Courtroom to litigate his instant pretrial motions.
8. Therefore, the District Attorney and the Court are compelled at this point to request the production of the Defendant through issuance of a writ.
9. The attendance of the Defendant in the Court of Common Pleas of Blair County, Pennsylvania, is for the purpose of pretrial litigation of the aforesaid charges.
10. The Blair County District Attorney's Office is directed to perfect service of a certified copy of this certification upon the United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, Jay Clayton or his designee.

IT IS THEREFORE REQUESTED, that United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, Jay Clayton, cause the Defendant to be produced in the Court of Common Pleas of Blair County, Pennsylvania, under custody of the United States Marshal's Service, on November 7, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. and for a period of time necessary to complete pre-trial litigation.

BY THE COURT,



Jackie Atherton Bernard, Judge
County of Blair
Court of Common Pleas

EXHIBIT A

REDACTED

From: Thomas Dickey

Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2025 10:56 AM

To: Jackie Bernard

; Peter Weeks

Nichole Smith

Subject: Luigi Mangione

Dear Judge Barnard:

Please be advised that after completion of our research into this matter, I have no objection to your Honorable Court executing the Writ of Habeas Corpus Ad Prosequendum, submitted by the Commonwealth. I thank you for attention to this matter.

Most Respectfully,

Tom Dickey