

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
Alexandria Division

NIZAR TRABELSI,	)	
	)	
Petitioner-Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Civil Action No. 1:24-cv-1509 (RDA/LRV)
	)	
JEFFREY CRAWFORD, <i>et al.</i> ,	)	
	)	
Respondents-Defendants.	)	

**ORDER**

This matter comes before the Court on Petitioner-Plaintiff Nizar Trabelisi’s Notice (Dkt. 56) and Motion to Vacate (Dkt. 57). In this action, Petitioner-Plaintiff brought claims in a combined habeas petition and civil action. Dkt. 1. On December 2, 2024, this Court granted the Federal Respondent-Defendants’ Motion to Dismiss and dismissed the habeas claims in Counts 1-4 of the Petition. Dkt. 50. Still pending before the Court are the Defendants’ Motion to Dismiss the non-habeas claims and Petitioner-Plaintiff’s Motion for Time to Conduct Discovery. Dkts. 39, 45.

On August 19, 2025, Petitioner-Plaintiff filed a Notice stating that he has been removed to Belgium and that his claims challenging his conditions of confinement are now moot. Dkt. 56. He further indicated that he intended to voluntarily dismiss his pending claims challenging his conditions of confinement. *Id.* Petitioner-Plaintiff further indicated that there was “no further need for the Court to address the parties’ currently pending motions.” *Id.* Petitioner-Plaintiff requested that the Court not administratively close the case until Petitioner-Plaintiff had an opportunity to move to vacate the court’s prior decision. *Id.* Petitioner-Plaintiff has now filed his Motion to Vacate. Dkt. 57.


Accordingly, it is hereby **ORDERED** that, pursuant to Petitioner-Plaintiff's Notice, Counts 4,<sup>1</sup> 5, and 6 are **DISMISSED as MOOT**; and it is

**FURTHER ORDERED** that, pursuant to Petitioner-Plaintiff's Notice, the still-pending portion of Defendants' Motion to Dismiss (Dkt. 38) as well as Petitioner-Plaintiff's Motion for Time to Conduct Discovery (Dkt. 45) are **DENIED as MOOT**; and it is

**FURTHER ORDERED** that the Court will keep this civil action open pending resolution of the Motion to Vacate.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Alexandria, Virginia  
September 24, 2025

/s/   
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Rossie D. Alston, Jr.  
United States District Judge

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<sup>1</sup> The Petition included two Count 4s. The first Count 4 was dismissed pursuant to the Court's prior Order. This disposes of the second Count 4.