

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

JOSEFINA DOE *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF
HOMELAND SECURITY, *et al.*,

Defendants.

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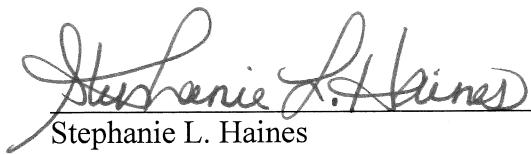
Civil Action No. 3:24-259
Judge Stephanie L. Haines

ORDER

AND NOW, this 31st day of January, 2025, upon due consideration of Plaintiffs’ Motion – Proposed Order to Show Cause with Temporary Restraints (ECF No. 30) seeking a Preliminary Injunction of the “Refusal Policy and Practice” of Moshannon Valley Detention Center, and Defendants’ arguments against Preliminary Injunction (ECF No. 60), the Court finds Plaintiffs have satisfied all four elements warranting injunctive relief. Plaintiffs have demonstrated they are likely to succeed on the merits of their claims, that they will suffer immediate and irreparable harm, that the harms inflicted on the Plaintiffs outweighs the harm to the Defendants in abiding by the preliminary injunction, and that injunctive relief is in the public interest.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiffs’ request for a preliminary injunction is GRANTED; and,

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that Moshannon Valley Detention Center shall immediately function in compliance with the tenants of the United States Constitution and the civil rights attributable thereunder as indicated in the Memorandum Opinion issued concurrently with this Order.


Stephanie L. Haines
United States District Judge