

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

In Re:)
) Civil Action No. 23 C 16136
Bruce Lua Morales)

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ORDER

Beginning in February 2023, Bruce Lua Morales has filed the following twelve cases:

23-cv-01234	Morales v. Chicago Police of Ogden and Spaulding, et al
23-cv-01420	Morales v. Cook County Jail et al
23-cv-04778	Morales v. Remejio et al
23-cv-06759	Morales v. State of Illinois et al
23-cv-16210	Morales v. Menard et al
23-cv-16256	Morales v. Judith et al
23-cv-16712	Morales v. Mena et al
23-cv-16824	Morales v. Kaly et al
24-cv-00074	Morales v. Mike et al
24-cv-00469	Morales v. Zakolski et al
24-cv-01082	Morales v. Hasin et al
24-cv-01096	Morales v. Hernandez et al

On October 31, 2023, the Executive Committee placed Bruce Lua Morales under an escort order for inappropriate communications in connection with his cases filed in the Northern District of Illinois.

At its meeting on February 8, 2024, the Executive Committee considered a memorandum from the Clerk of Court, which referenced Court Orders from several of the above listed cases.

After review of the memorandum, it is the judgment of the Executive Committee that reasonable and necessary restraints must be imposed upon Bruce Lua Morales's ability to file new civil cases in this District pro se. Cases in existence prior to the entry of this order are not affected by the order and shall proceed as usual.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE in its capacity as the supervisor of the assignment of cases, that -----

1. Bruce Lua Morales, or anyone, other than an attorney, acting on his behalf, is enjoined from filing any new civil action or proceeding in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois without first obtaining leave by way of the following procedures:
 - a. Any materials Bruce Lua Morales, or anyone, other than an attorney, acting on his behalf, wishes to submit for filing shall be delivered to Room 2050, Office of the Clerk at the Courthouse in Chicago. Only the Clerk or deputies specifically designated by the Clerk may accept such documents.

- b. Where the document submitted is a complaint, it shall be accompanied by a motion captioned a Motion Seeking Leave to File Pursuant to Order of Executive Committee. That motion shall, in addition to requesting leave to file the complaint, include a sworn statement certifying that the claims raised by or on behalf of Bruce Lua Morales in the complaint are new claims never before raised in any federal court.
 - c. Whenever Bruce Lua Morales submits a document for filing, the clerk or designated deputy shall accept the papers, stamp them received, and forward them to the Executive Committee.
2. The Executive Committee will examine any complaints submitted by or on behalf of Bruce Lua Morales to determine whether they should be filed.
3. If Bruce Lua Morales seeks leave to proceed in forma pauperis, the Committee will also determine if such leave should be granted. The Committee will deny leave to file any complaints if they are legally frivolous or are merely duplicative of matters already litigated, unless he demonstrates to the Committee in writing that he is in imminent danger of great bodily harm. The Committee may deny leave to file any complaints not filed in conformity with this order.
4. If the Executive Committee enters an order denying leave to file the materials, the clerk shall retain the order in a miscellaneous file with the title "In the matter of Jerico M. Cruz" and cause a copy of the order to be mailed to Bruce Lua Morales.
5. If the Executive Committee enters an order granting leave to file the materials, the clerk will cause the materials to be stamped filed as of the date received and shall cause the case to be assigned to a judge in accordance with the rules. The clerk shall also cause a copy of the order to be mailed to Bruce Lua Morales.
6. Bruce Lua Morales's failure to comply with this order may, within the discretion of the Executive Committee, result in his being held in contempt of court and punished accordingly.
7. Nothing in this order shall be construed -----
 - a. to affect Bruce Lua Morales's ability to defend himself in any criminal action,
 - b. to deny Bruce Lua Morales access to the federal courts through the filing of a petition for a writ of habeas corpus or other extraordinary writ, or
 - c. to deny Bruce Lua Morales access to the United States Court of Appeals or the United States Supreme Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That any password issued to Bruce Lua Morales for access to the electronic filing system shall be disabled.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That any new complaints filed by Bruce Lua Morales and transferred to this Court from another jurisdiction shall be reviewed by the Executive Committee to determine whether they should be filed.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That the Clerk shall cause to be created and maintained a miscellaneous docket with the title "In Re: Bruce Lua Morales" and case number 23 CV 16136. The miscellaneous docket shall serve as the repository of this order and any order or minute order entered pursuant to this order. All orders will be entered on that docket following standard docketing procedures.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That the Clerk shall cause a copy of this order to be mailed to Bruce Lua Morales at Cook County Jail, 2021-0518139, 2700 S. California Avenue, Chicago, IL 60608 via First Class Mail and via Certified Mail - Return Receipt Requested.

ENTER:

FOR THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rebecca R. Pallmeyer", written over a horizontal line.

Hon. Rebecca R. Pallmeyer, Chief Judge

Dated at Chicago, Illinois this 14th day of February 2024.