## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MAINE

IN RE: ORDER FIXING PENALTIES FOR PETTY OFFENSES (U.S. BORDER PATROL)

No. 1:24-mc-00026-JDL

## ORDER MODIFYING U.S. BORDER PATROL COLLATERAL FORFEITURE SCHEDULE FOR CERTAIN PETTY AND MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES

It appearing that certain petty and misdemeanor violations occur in the jurisdiction of the Court and that the collateral forfeiture amounts proposed by the Government are reasonable and consistent with the statutory penalties and amounts imposed in other districts, and it further appearing that it would be for the benefit and convenience of all concerned that (1) the U.S. Border Patrol be authorized to issue Violation Notices to be processed through the Central Violations Bureau for the specified offenses, and (2) a plan be established whereby persons committing these offenses may dispose of said cases by forfeiture of collateral in a fixed amount, and subject to a processing fee established by the Central Violations Bureau, without the necessity of appearing before a United States Magistrate Judge at Bangor or Portland, Maine, it is:

## ORDERED, as follows:

1. The Court's Order Establishing Collateral Forfeiture Schedule for Certain Petty
Title 8 Offenses, dated November 22, 2019, authorizes the U.S. Border Patrol to
issue violation notices to be processed through the Central Violations Bureau for
specified offenses. The Court's Order also incorporated a Forfeiture of Collateral
Schedule for the specified offenses. The Forfeiture of Collateral Schedule is

hereby superseded by the below Collateral Forfeiture Schedule.

Nothing in this Order shall restrict the authority of a U.S. Border Patrol Agent to lawfully arrest an offender.

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3. This Order shall continue in effect pending further Order of this Court.

Date and time issued: 2:24 pm Jan 17 2024	<u> </u>
City and state:Portland_Maine	Judge's Signature  Jon D. Levy Chief U.S. District Judge
	Printed name and title

## COLLATERAL FORFEITURE SCHEDULE

Statute	Offense	Collateral Amount
8 U.S.C. § 1304(e)	Failure to carry alien registration	\$80
8 U.S.C. § 1306(a)	Willful failure to register	\$80
8 U.S.C. § 1306(b)	Failure to notify change of address	\$80
41 CFR § 102-74.380	Preservation of Property	\$150
41 CFR § 102-74.390	Disturbances	\$100

An offender is also required to pay a processing fee set by the Central Violations Bureau for each ticket. As of January 16, 2024, the processing fee is \$30 per ticket.