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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA TAMPA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

CASE NO. 8:19-cr-170-T-24TGW

ERIKA PAOLA INTRIAGO, A/K/A "ERIKA PAOLA TEPAN," A/K/A "ERIKA PAOLA VARAS," A/K/A "ERIKA PAOLA CARABALLO"

PLEA AGREEMENT

Pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 11(c), the United States of America, by Maria Chapa Lopez, United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida, and the defendant, Erika Paola Intriago, and the attorney for the defendant, Shelton Bridges, Esq., mutually agree as follows:

A. Particularized Terms

1. <u>Count Pleading To</u>

The defendant shall enter a plea of guilty to Count Four of the Indictment. Count Four charges the defendant with wire fraud, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1343.

2. <u>Maximum Penalties</u>

Count Four carries a maximum sentence of 20 years' imprisonment, a fine of up to \$250,000, a term of supervised release of not more than three years, and a special assessment of \$100 per felony count for

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individuals. With respect to certain offenses, the Court shall order the defendant to make restitution to any victims of the offense, and with respect to other offenses, the Court may order the defendant to make restitution to any victims of the offenses, or to the community, as set forth below.

3. Elements of the Offense

The defendant acknowledges understanding the nature and elements of the offense with which the defendant has been charged and to which defendant is pleading guilty. The elements of Count Four are:

First: the defendant knowingly devised or participated in a

scheme to defraud, or to obtain money or property by using false pretenses, representations, or promises;

<u>Second</u>: the false pretenses, representations, or promises were

about a material fact;

<u>Third</u>: the defendant acted with the intent to defraud; and

Fourth: the defendant transmitted or caused to be transmitted by

wire some communication in interstate commerce to help

carry out the scheme to defraud.

4. Counts Dismissed

At the time of sentencing, the remaining counts against the defendant, Counts One, Two, Three, Five, Six, and Seven, will be dismissed pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 11(c)(1)(A).

5. No Further Charges

If the Court accepts this plea agreement, the United States

Attorney's Office for the Middle District of Florida agrees not to charge

defendant with committing any other federal criminal offenses known to the

United States Attorney's Office at the time of the execution of this agreement,
related to the conduct giving rise to this plea agreement.

6. Mandatory Restitution to Victims of Offense

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3663A(a) and (b), the defendant agrees to make full restitution to the victims of this offense. The defendant acknowledges that the amount of restitution will be at least \$53,663.00, and that the final amount of restitution will be determined by the Court at sentencing.

7. Guidelines Sentence

Pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 11(c)(1)(B), the United States will recommend to the Court that the defendant be sentenced within the defendant's applicable guidelines range as determined by the Court pursuant to the United States Sentencing Guidelines, as adjusted by any departure the United States has agreed to recommend in this plea agreement. The parties understand that such a recommendation is not binding on the Court and that, if it is not accepted by this Court, neither the United States nor the defendant

will be allowed to withdraw from the plea agreement, and the defendant will not be allowed to withdraw from the plea of guilty.

8. Acceptance of Responsibility - Three Levels

At the time of sentencing, and in the event that no adverse information is received suggesting such a recommendation to be unwarranted, the United States will not oppose the defendant's request to the Court that the defendant receive a two-level downward adjustment for acceptance of responsibility, pursuant to USSG §3E1.1(a). The defendant understands that this recommendation or request is not binding on the Court, and if not accepted by the Court, the defendant will not be allowed to withdraw from the plea.

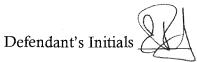
Further, at the time of sentencing, if the defendant's offense level prior to operation of subsection (a) is level 16 or greater, and if the defendant complies with the provisions of USSG §3E1.1(b) and all terms of this Plea Agreement, including but not limited to, the timely submission of the financial affidavit referenced in Paragraph B.5., the United States agrees to file a motion pursuant to USSG §3E1.1(b) for a downward adjustment of one additional level. The defendant understands that the determination as to whether the defendant has qualified for a downward adjustment of a third level for acceptance of responsibility rests solely with the United States Attorney for the

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Middle District of Florida, and the defendant agrees that the defendant cannot and will not challenge that determination, whether by appeal, collateral attack, or otherwise.

9. <u>Cooperation - Substantial Assistance to be Considered</u>

Defendant agrees to cooperate fully with the United States in the investigation and prosecution of other persons, and to testify, subject to a prosecution for perjury or making a false statement, fully and truthfully before any federal court proceeding or federal grand jury in connection with the charges in this case and other matters, such cooperation to further include a full and complete disclosure of all relevant information, including production of any and all books, papers, documents, and other objects in defendant's possession or control, and to be reasonably available for interviews which the United States may require. If the cooperation is completed prior to sentencing, the government agrees to consider whether such cooperation qualifies as "substantial assistance" in accordance with the policy of the United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida, warranting the filing of a motion at the time of sentencing recommending (1) a downward departure from the applicable guideline range pursuant to USSG §5K1.1, or (2) the imposition of a sentence below a statutory minimum, if any, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3553(e), or (3) both. If the cooperation is completed subsequent to sentencing,



"substantial assistance" in accordance with the policy of the United States

Attorney for the Middle District of Florida, warranting the filing of a motion
for a reduction of sentence within one year of the imposition of sentence
pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 35(b). In any case, the defendant understands
that the determination as to whether "substantial assistance" has been
provided or what type of motion related thereto will be filed, if any, rests
solely with the United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida, and
the defendant agrees that defendant cannot and will not challenge that
determination, whether by appeal, collateral attack, or otherwise.

10. <u>Use of Information - Section 1B1.8</u>

Pursuant to USSG §1B1.8(a), the United States agrees that no self-incriminating information which the defendant may provide during the course of defendant's cooperation and pursuant to this agreement shall be used in determining the applicable sentencing guideline range, subject to the restrictions and limitations set forth in USSG §1B1.8(b).

11. Cooperation - Responsibilities of Parties

a. The government will make known to the Court and other relevant authorities the nature and extent of defendant's cooperation and any other mitigating circumstances indicative of the defendant's rehabilitative

intent by assuming the fundamental civic duty of reporting crime. However, the defendant understands that the government can make no representation that the Court will impose a lesser sentence solely on account of, or in consideration of, such cooperation.

- b. It is understood that should the defendant knowingly provide incomplete or untruthful testimony, statements, or information pursuant to this agreement, or should the defendant falsely implicate or incriminate any person, or should the defendant fail to voluntarily and unreservedly disclose and provide full, complete, truthful, and honest knowledge, information, and cooperation regarding any of the matters noted herein, the following conditions shall apply:
- (1) The defendant may be prosecuted for any perjury or false declarations, if any, committed while testifying pursuant to this agreement, or for obstruction of justice.
- (2) The United States may prosecute the defendant for the charges which are to be dismissed pursuant to this agreement, if any, and may either seek reinstatement of or refile such charges and prosecute the defendant thereon in the event such charges have been dismissed pursuant to this agreement. With regard to such charges, if any, which have been dismissed, the defendant, being fully aware of the nature of all such charges

now pending in the instant case, and being further aware of defendant's rights, as to all felony charges pending in such cases (those offenses punishable by imprisonment for a term of over one year), to not be held to answer to said felony charges unless on a presentment or indictment of a grand jury, and further being aware that all such felony charges in the instant case have heretofore properly been returned by the indictment of a grand jury, does hereby agree to reinstatement of such charges by recision of any order dismissing them or, alternatively, does hereby waive, in open court, prosecution by indictment and consents that the United States may proceed by information instead of by indictment with regard to any felony charges which may be dismissed in the instant case, pursuant to this plea agreement, and the defendant further agrees to waive the statute of limitations and any speedy trial claims on such charges.

- (3) The United States may prosecute the defendant for any offenses set forth herein, if any, the prosecution of which in accordance with this agreement, the United States agrees to forego, and the defendant agrees to waive the statute of limitations and any speedy trial claims as to any such offenses.
- (4) The government may use against the defendant the defendant's own admissions and statements and the information and books,

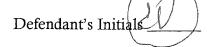


papers, documents, and objects that the defendant has furnished in the course of the defendant's cooperation with the government.

(5) The defendant will not be permitted to withdraw the guilty pleas to those counts to which defendant hereby agrees to plead in the instant case but, in that event, defendant will be entitled to the sentencing limitations, if any, set forth in this plea agreement, with regard to those counts to which the defendant has pled; or in the alternative, at the option of the United States, the United States may move the Court to declare this entire plea agreement null and void.

12. Forfeiture of Assets

The defendant agrees to forfeit to the United States immediately and voluntarily any and all assets and property, or portions thereof, subject to forfeiture, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 981(a)(1)(C) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), whether in the possession or control of the United States, the defendant or defendant's nominees. The assets to be forfeited specifically include, but are not limited to, the \$53,663 in proceeds the defendant admits she obtained, as the result of the commission of the offense to which the defendant is pleading guilty. The defendant acknowledges and agrees that: (1) the defendant obtained this amount as a result of the commission of the offense, and (2) as a result of the acts and omissions of the defendant, the proceeds have been



transferred to third parties and cannot be located by the United States upon the exercise of due diligence. Therefore, the defendant agrees that, pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), the United States is entitled to forfeit any other property of the defendant (substitute assets), up to the amount of proceeds the defendant obtained, as the result of the offense of conviction. The defendant further consents to, and agrees not to oppose, any motion for substitute assets filed by the United States up to the amount of proceeds obtained from commission of the offense. The defendant agrees that forfeiture of substitute assets as authorized herein shall not be deemed an alteration of the defendant's sentence.

The defendant also agrees to waive all constitutional, statutory, and procedural challenges (including direct appeal, habeas corpus, or any other means) to any forfeiture carried out in accordance with this Plea Agreement on any grounds, including that the forfeiture described herein constitutes an excessive fine, was not properly noticed in the charging instrument, addressed by the Court at the time of the guilty plea, announced at sentencing, or incorporated into the judgment.

The defendant admits and agrees that the conduct described in the Factual Basis below provides a sufficient factual and statutory basis for the forfeiture of the property sought by the government. Pursuant to Rule

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32.2(b)(4), the defendant agrees that the preliminary order of forfeiture will satisfy the notice requirement and will be final as to the defendant at the time it is entered. In the event the forfeiture is omitted from the judgment, the defendant agrees that the forfeiture order may be incorporated into the written judgment at any time pursuant to Rule 36.

The defendant agrees to take all steps necessary to identify and locate all substitute assets and to transfer custody of such assets to the United States before the defendant's sentencing. To that end, the defendant agrees to make a full and complete disclosure of all assets over which defendant exercises control, including all assets held by nominees, to execute any documents requested by the United States to obtain from any other parties by lawful means any records of assets owned by the defendant, and to consent to the release of the defendant's tax returns for the previous five years. The defendant agrees to be interviewed by the government, prior to and after sentencing, regarding such assets. The defendant further agrees to be polygraphed on the issue of assets, if it is deemed necessary by the United States. The defendant agrees that Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 11 and USSG § 1B1.8 will not protect from forfeiture assets disclosed by the defendant as part of the defendant's cooperation.

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The defendant agrees to take all steps necessary to assist the government in obtaining clear title to any substitute assets before the defendant's sentencing. In addition to providing full and complete information about substitute assets, these steps include, but are not limited to, the surrender of title, the signing of a consent decree of forfeiture, and signing of any other documents necessary to effectuate such transfers.

Forfeiture of the defendant's assets shall not be treated as satisfaction of any fine, restitution, cost of imprisonment, or any other penalty the Court may impose upon the defendant in addition to forfeiture.

The defendant agrees that, in the event the Court determines that the defendant has breached this section of the Plea Agreement, the defendant may be found ineligible for a reduction in the Guidelines calculation for acceptance of responsibility and substantial assistance, and may be eligible for an obstruction of justice enhancement.

The defendant agrees that the forfeiture provisions of this plea agreement are intended to, and will, survive the defendant, notwithstanding the abatement of any underlying criminal conviction after the execution of this agreement. The forfeitability of any particular property pursuant to this agreement shall be determined as if the defendant had survived, and that determination shall be binding upon defendant's heirs, successors and assigns

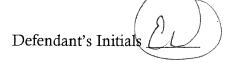


until the agreed forfeiture, including the forfeiture of any substitute assets, is final.

B. Standard Terms and Conditions

1. Restitution, Special Assessment and Fine

The defendant understands and agrees that the Court, in addition to or in lieu of any other penalty, shall order the defendant to make restitution to any victim of the offenses, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3663A, for all offenses described in 18 U.S.C. § 3663A(c)(1); and the Court may order the defendant to make restitution to any victim of the offenses, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3663, including restitution as to all counts charged, whether or not the defendant enters a plea of guilty to such counts, and whether or not such counts are dismissed pursuant to this agreement. The defendant further understands that compliance with any restitution payment plan imposed by the Court in no way precludes the United States from simultaneously pursuing other statutory remedies for collecting restitution (28 U.S.C. § 3003(b)(2)), including, but not limited to, garnishment and execution, pursuant to the Mandatory Victims Restitution Act, in order to ensure that the defendant's restitution obligation is satisfied.



On each count to which a plea of guilty is entered, the Court shall impose a special assessment pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3013. The special assessment is due on the date of sentencing.

The defendant understands that this agreement imposes no limitation as to fine.

2. <u>Supervised Release</u>

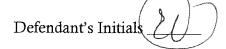
The defendant understands that the offenses to which the defendant is pleading provide for imposition of a term of supervised release upon release from imprisonment, and that, if the defendant should violate the conditions of release, the defendant would be subject to a further term of imprisonment.

3. <u>Immigration Consequences of Pleading Guilty</u>

The defendant has been advised and understands that, upon conviction, a defendant who is not a United States citizen may be removed from the United States, denied citizenship, and denied admission to the United States in the future.

4. <u>Sentencing Information</u>

The United States reserves its right and obligation to report to the Court and the United States Probation Office all information concerning the background, character, and conduct of the defendant, to provide relevant

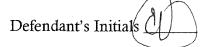


factual information, including the totality of the defendant's criminal activities, if any, not limited to the counts to which defendant pleads, to respond to comments made by the defendant or defendant's counsel, and to correct any misstatements or inaccuracies. The United States further reserves its right to make any recommendations it deems appropriate regarding the disposition of this case, subject to any limitations set forth herein, if any.

5. Financial Disclosures

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Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3664(d)(3) and Fed. R. Crim. P. 32(d)(2)(A)(ii), the defendant agrees to complete and submit to the United States Attorney's Office within 30 days of execution of this agreement an affidavit reflecting the defendant's financial condition. The defendant promises that her financial statement and disclosures will be complete, accurate and truthful and will include all assets in which she has any interest or over which the defendant exercises control, directly or indirectly, including those held by a spouse, dependent, nominee or other third party. The defendant further agrees to execute any documents requested by the United States needed to obtain from any third parties any records of assets owned by the defendant, directly or through a nominee, and, by the execution of this Plea Agreement, consents to the release of the defendant's tax returns for the previous five years. The defendant similarly agrees and authorizes the United



States Attorney's Office to provide to, and obtain from, the United States

Probation Office, the financial affidavit, any of the defendant's federal, state,
and local tax returns, bank records and any other financial information

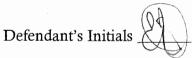
concerning the defendant, for the purpose of making any recommendations to
the Court and for collecting any assessments, fines, restitution, or forfeiture

ordered by the Court. The defendant expressly authorizes the United States

Attorney's Office to obtain current credit reports in order to evaluate the
defendant's ability to satisfy any financial obligation imposed by the Court.

6. Sentencing Recommendations

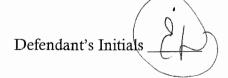
It is understood by the parties that the Court is neither a party to nor bound by this agreement. The Court may accept or reject the agreement, or defer a decision until it has had an opportunity to consider the presentence report prepared by the United States Probation Office. The defendant understands and acknowledges that, although the parties are permitted to make recommendations and present arguments to the Court, the sentence will be determined solely by the Court, with the assistance of the United States Probation Office. Defendant further understands and acknowledges that any discussions between defendant or defendant's attorney and the attorney or other agents for the government regarding any recommendations by the government are not binding on the Court and that, should any



recommendations be rejected, defendant will not be permitted to withdraw defendant's plea pursuant to this plea agreement. The government expressly reserves the right to support and defend any decision that the Court may make with regard to the defendant's sentence, whether or not such decision is consistent with the government's recommendations contained herein.

7. <u>Defendant's Waiver of Right to Appeal the Sentence</u>

The defendant agrees that this Court has jurisdiction and authority to impose any sentence up to the statutory maximum and expressly waives the right to appeal defendant's sentence on any ground, including the ground that the Court erred in determining the applicable guidelines range pursuant to the United States Sentencing Guidelines, except (a) the ground that the sentence exceeds the defendant's applicable guidelines range as determined by the Court pursuant to the United States Sentencing Guidelines; (b) the ground that the sentence exceeds the statutory maximum penalty; or (c) the ground that the sentence violates the Eighth Amendment to the Constitution; provided, however, that if the government exercises its right to appeal the sentence imposed, as authorized by 18 U.S.C. § 3742(b), then the defendant is released from his waiver and may appeal the sentence as authorized by 18 U.S.C. § 3742(a).



8. <u>Middle District of Florida Agreement</u>

It is further understood that this agreement is limited to the Office of the United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida and cannot bind other federal, state, or local prosecuting authorities, although this office will bring defendant's cooperation, if any, to the attention of other prosecuting officers or others, if requested.

9. Filing of Agreement

This agreement shall be presented to the Court, in open court or <u>in camera</u>, in whole or in part, upon a showing of good cause, and filed in this cause, at the time of defendant's entry of a plea of guilty pursuant hereto.

10. Voluntariness

The defendant acknowledges that defendant is entering into this agreement and is pleading guilty freely and voluntarily without reliance upon any discussions between the attorney for the government and the defendant and defendant's attorney and without promise of benefit of any kind (other than the concessions contained herein), and without threats, force, intimidation, or coercion of any kind. The defendant further acknowledges defendant's understanding of the nature of the offense or offenses to which defendant is pleading guilty and the elements thereof, including the penalties provided by law, and defendant's complete satisfaction with the representation



and advice received from defendant's undersigned counsel (if any). The defendant also understands that defendant has the right to plead not guilty or to persist in that plea if it has already been made, and that defendant has the right to be tried by a jury with the assistance of counsel, the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against defendant, the right against compulsory self-incrimination, and the right to compulsory process for the attendance of witnesses to testify in defendant's defense; but, by pleading guilty, defendant waives or gives up those rights and there will be no trial. The defendant further understands that if defendant pleads guilty, the Court may ask defendant questions about the offense or offenses to which defendant pleaded, and if defendant answers those questions under oath, on the record, and in the presence of counsel (if any), defendant's answers may later be used against defendant in a prosecution for perjury or false statement. The defendant also understands that defendant will be adjudicated guilty of the offenses to which defendant has pleaded and, if any of such offenses are felonies, may thereby be deprived of certain rights, such as the right to vote, to hold public office, to serve on a jury, or to have possession of firearms.

11. Factual Basis

Defendant is pleading guilty because defendant is in fact guilty.

The defendant certifies that defendant does hereby admit that the facts set

forth below are true, and were this case to go to trial, the United States would be able to prove those specific facts and others beyond a reasonable doubt.

FACTS

Erika Paola Intriago, also known as "Erika Paola Tepan," "Erika Paola Varas," and "Erika Paola Caraballo" ("Intriago"), was a resident of the Middle District of Florida who owned and operated EPI Services, Inc. EPI Services, Inc. purported to assist individuals and their families with immigration-related legal work, including filing of official U.S. government forms and paperwork to obtain legal immigration status in the United States. Intriago used EPI Services, Inc. to falsely represent to her client-victims that she was an attorney and otherwise licensed and qualified to represent them in immigration matters before the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services ("USCIS").

Beginning on an unknown date, but as early as in or around December 2014, and continuing through April 2019, in the Middle District of Florida and elsewhere, Intriago knowingly and willfully devised a scheme and artifice to defraud and for obtaining money and property by means of materially false and fraudulent pretenses, representations, and promises. As part of that scheme, Intriago falsely portrayed herself as an immigration attorney, expert, and personal representative, offering immigration-related services to aliens in



the United States, family members and friends of aliens who were in the United States, and domestic family members and friends of aliens who were abroad—all of whom were in need of assistance for immigration-related matters before USCIS and other agencies.

Intriago's scheme primarily targeted vulnerable immigrants from Spanish-speaking countries and their families. Client-victims paid Intriago to perform immigration services on their behalf and to represent them in immigration-related matters before USCIS and other agencies. Instead, Intriago either: never filed the necessary immigration paperwork on her client-victims' behalf, abandoned the immigration process, or never advised her client-victims that the applications had already been denied.

Intriago directed that her client-victims pay her in cash, by personal check, and with money orders. Intriago would then deposit the client-victims' funds into accounts under Intriago's control. Some of these funds were intended as compensation for Intraigo's purported services, while other monies were intended to pay purported filing fees with United States government agencies that Intriago never actually paid. Intriago spent most of the money derived from this scheme on herself.

In order to perpetuate the scheme and provide proof that Intriago was working on the client-victims' behalf, Intriago created and distributed to her

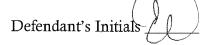
client-victims via interstate-wire transmissions fraudulent letters, emails, receipts, documents, and communications. Intriago fraudulently represented that these communications were accurate and legitimate correspondence sent from agencies of the United States, including the U.S. Department of Homeland Security ("DHS") and USCIS. On multiple occasions, Intriago adorned and affixed to these communications fraudulently created and copied seals of government agencies, including the seals of DHS and USCIS. Intriago also made materially false representations to her client-victims about errors and delays at USCIS in order to justify and conceal a lack of action and progress in her client-victims' immigration petitions. On a least one occasion, when confronted by her client-victims about her conduct, Intriago threatened and intimidated the client-victims by telling them that she would report their immigration status to U.S. immigration authorities—resulting in the client-victims being deported.

For example, one set of client-victims who Intriago defrauded was E.M.B. and Y.G.C. Y.G.C. hired Intriago to help with immigration petitions for her husband, E.M.B. On March 7, 2017, Y.G.C. met with Intriago in Tampa, Florida, and gave her a \$750 check for Intriago's fees. They also gave her a blank Amscot money order for \$535, intended for fees associated with filing an I-130 immigration petition. The couple proceeded to fill out

immigration paperwork with Intriago. On that same day, Intriago deposited the \$750 check and \$535 money order into her bank account.

In May 2017, Intriago told E.M.B. and Y.G.C. that the I-130 petition had been approved and that they now had to pay an additional \$120 to file an I-485 petition. They gave Intriago another blank Amscot money intended for USCIS petition fees. E.M.B. then paid Intraigo another \$535 in cash to add his 9-year-old daughter to the petition. In total, Intriago stole approximately \$1940.00 from Y.G.C. and E.M.B.

Several weeks passed with no update. When E.M.B. and Y.G.C. pushed Intraigo for an update, Intriago said that they had to wait for fingerprints to be taken. E.M.B. and Y.G.C. asked Intriago for their case number. On August 15, 2017, for the purpose of executing and perpetuating Intriago's fraudulent scheme detailed above, Intriago transmitted by interstate wire an email to client-victims E.M.B. and Y.G.C. Specifically, Intriago sent an email from episervicesinc@gmail.com, to [Y.G.]2859@gmail.com, who received the email in Tampa, Florida. The email's subject line read "USCIS Acceptance Confirmation for [E.M.B.]." Intraigo's email forwarded a USCIS email from DO NOT REPLY LOCBOX@dhs.gov, which Intriago had purportedly received on May 18, 2017. The email message stated that USCIS had accepted for processing a case with USCIS Receipt Number

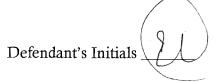


LIN1790040XXX. A check of USCIS records reveals that USCIS Receipt Number LIN1790040XXX corresponds solely to an unrelated I-130 petition filed on October 13, 2016, by J.Q. on behalf of his wife, F.B.T. Intriago had repurposed the USCIS email and receipt number to deceive E.M.B. and Y.G.C. into believing that Intriago had filed their immigration petitions when she had, in fact, not filed anything on their behalf.

In total, Intriago's scheme involved at least 55 client-victims and resulted in intended loss of at least \$116,062.00, with actual loss in the amount of approximately \$53,663.00.

12. Entire Agreement

This plea agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the government and the defendant with respect to the aforementioned guilty plea and no other promises, agreements, or representations exist or have been made to the defendant or defendant's attorney with regard to such guilty plea.



13. <u>Certification</u>

The defendant and defendant's counsel certify that this plea agreement has been read in its entirety by (or has been read to) the defendant and that defendant fully understands its terms.

DATED this 15 day of October 2019.

Erika Paola Intriago

Defendant

Shelton Bridges

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