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U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services  
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**Re: Form I-130, Petition for Alien Relative — Beneficiary: David Santos (Spouse, IR-1/CR-1)**

Dear Immigration Officer:

I respectfully submit the enclosed Form I-130 on behalf of my spouse, David Santos, a citizen of Brazil, in support of his classification as the immediate relative of a U.S. citizen under INA §201(b)(2)(A)(i). We were married on June 14, 2024, in Travis County, Texas, and have resided together continuously since that date.

This petition is supported by evidence establishing that our marriage is bona fide and was entered in good faith, not for the purpose of evading the immigration laws. The exhibits are organized and tabbed in accordance with the USCIS evidence checklist, and are summarized below.

Our commingled financial life includes a joint checking account opened in July 2024, a joint lease, shared health insurance with each spouse named as the other's beneficiary, and joint federal tax returns for tax year 2024 filed as 'married filing jointly.' We have also enclosed a chronological set of photographs, travel records from two trips taken together, and four sworn affidavits from friends and family attesting to the authenticity of our relationship.

We respectfully request approval of this petition. Should the officer require any additional documentation, I will provide it promptly upon request.

**Enclosures:**

1. Form I-130 with filing fee
2. Copy of petitioner's U.S. passport
3. Certified marriage certificate

4. Joint financial records (bank, lease, insurance, 2024 tax return)
5. Photographs and travel records
6. Four third-party affidavits

Respectfully submitted,

*Maria Santos*

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Petitioner

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