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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE THIRD CIRCUIT

No. 22-3410

IN RE: JOSE ESTRADA,
Petitioner

On a Petition for Writ of Mandamus from the
United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
(Related to E.D. Pa. Crim. No. 2-12-cr-00581-001)

Submitted Pursuant to Rule 21, Fed. R. App. P.
March 9, 2023

Before: Chief Judge CHAGARES, HARDIMAN, and PHIPPS, Circuit Judges

(Opinion filed May 10, 2023)

OPINION*

PER CURIAM

Jose Estrada, proceeding pro se, has filed a petition for a writ of mandamus compelling the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania to adjudicate his motion for compassionate release pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(1)(A). While this petition was pending before us, the District Court denied Estrada's motion. In light of the District Court's action, Estrada's mandamus petition no longer presents a live

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controversy. Accordingly, we will dismiss the petition as moot. See Blanciak v. Allegheny Ludlum Corp., 77 F.3d 690, 698–99 (3d Cir. 1996) (“If developments occur during the course of adjudication that eliminate a plaintiff’s personal stake in the outcome of a suit or prevent a court from being able to grant the requested relief, the case must be dismissed as moot.”).