

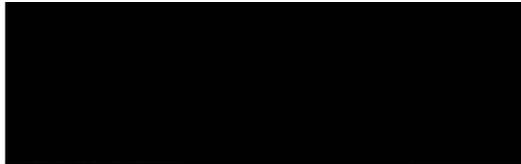
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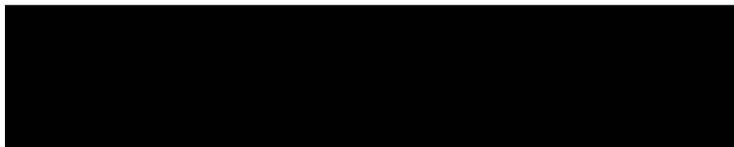
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Office: VERMONT SERVICE CENTER

Date: **AUG 04 2008**

IN RE:

Petitioner:



PETITION: Petition for Immigrant Abused Spouse Pursuant to Section 204(a)(1)(A)(iii) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. § 1154(a)(1)(A)(iii)

ON BEHALF OF PETITIONER:



INSTRUCTIONS:

This is the decision of the Administrative Appeals Office in your case. All documents have been returned to the office that originally decided your case. Any further inquiry must be made to that office.

Robert P. Wiemann, Chief
Administrative Appeals Office

DISCUSSION: The Director, Vermont Service Center, denied the immigrant visa petition and the matter is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. The appeal will be summarily dismissed.

The petitioner seeks classification as an immigrant pursuant to section 204(a)(1)(A)(iii) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (the Act), 8 U.S.C. § 1154(a)(1)(A)(iii), as an alien battered or subjected to extreme cruelty by a United States citizen.

The director denied the petition on May 29, 2007, finding that the petitioner failed to establish that she is a person of good moral character.

The petitioner, through counsel, submits a timely appeal and provides the following reason as her reason for the appeal:

The INS office filed [sic] to analyze the evidence of the petitioner's testimony. Clients petition was denied erroneously. District failed to analyze the evidence presented on behalf of the application for battered spouse. Therefore, we are requesting an additional 30 days to submit a brief.

Counsel did not elaborate on his argument, cite to specific errors on the part of the director or describe the testimony the director allegedly failed to analyze. Further, despite counsel's assertion that he would submit a brief to the AAO within 30 days, to date, no submission has been received. Accordingly, the record is considered to be complete as it now stands.

The regulation at 8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(1)(v) states, in pertinent part:

An officer to whom an appeal is taken shall summarily dismiss any appeal when the party concerned fails to identify specifically any erroneous conclusion of law or statement of fact for the appeal.

The petitioner's general statement regarding the director's decision is not sufficient to meet the requirements for filing a substantive appeal. Therefore, as the petitioner has failed to specifically identify an erroneous conclusion of law or a statement of fact in this proceeding, the appeal must be summarily dismissed.

ORDER: The appeal is dismissed.