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Office: VERMONT SERVICE CENTER

Date: OCT 02 2008

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Petitioner:

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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:

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**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.

**DISCUSSION:** The immigrant visa petition was denied by the Director, Vermont Service Center, on November 30, 2007. The matter is now before the Administrative Appeals Office on appeal. In a letter dated September 24, 2008, counsel requested that the appeal filed in behalf of the petitioner be withdrawn.

**ORDER:** The appeal is dismissed based on its withdrawal by counsel.

  
Robert P. Wiemann, Chief  
Administrative Appeals Office