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Petitioner:

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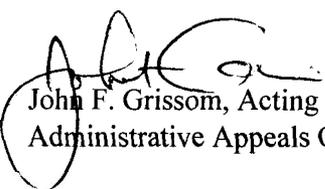
PETITION: Petition for Special Immigrant Religious Worker Pursuant to Section 203(b)(4) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (the Act), 8 U.S.C. § 1153(b)(4), as described at Section 101(a)(27)(C) of the Act, 8 U.S.C. § 1101(a)(27)(C)

ON BEHALF OF PETITIONER:

**DISCUSSION:** The Director, California Service Center, denied the employment-based immigrant visa petition. The matter is now before the Administrative Appeals Office on appeal. By letter dated July 28, 2008, the petitioner requested that the petition be withdrawn.

All documents have been returned to the office that originally decided the case. Any further inquiry must be made to that office.

**ORDER:** The appeal is dismissed based on the petitioner's withdrawal of the petition.

  
John F. Grissom, Acting Chief  
Administrative Appeals Office