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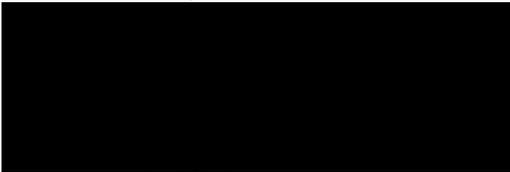
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**U.S. Citizenship  
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Services**

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File:



Office: CALIFORNIA SERVICE CENTER

Date: JUL 12 2004

IN RE:

Petitioner:



Beneficiary:

Petition:

Immigrant 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)

IN BEHALF OF PETITIONER:

SELF-REPRESENTED

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, Director  
Administrative Appeals Office

**DISCUSSION:** The employment-based immigrant visa petition was denied by the Director, California Service Center, and is now before the Administrative Appeals Office on appeal. The appeal will be summarily dismissed.

The petitioner is a church. It seeks to classify the beneficiary as a special immigrant religious worker pursuant to section 203(b)(4) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. § 1153(b)(4). The petition was originally approved on May 13, 1997. The director subsequently revoked the approval of the petition on September 2, 2003.

The petitioner filed the instant appeal on September 17, 2003. On the Form I-290B Notice of Appeal, the petitioner stated the following as its reason for the appeal:

We (the church) are disappointed of your decision and we appeal you to please reconsider it. We realize the mistake of letting Judito do other work and have corrected it with full time employment for the church since August 2002. As you can see by the evidence we sent. He is doing an excellent job and is very much needed here. We guarantee his future employment.

The petitioner also indicated that a brief and/or evidence would be sent to the AAO within thirty days. To date, nine months later, careful review of the record reveals no subsequent submission; all other documentation in the record predates the issuance of the notice of decision

The regulation at 8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(1)(v) states, in pertinent part, “[a]n 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.”

As the petitioner’s statement on appeal makes no claim that any of the director’s findings are incorrect or based on an erroneous conclusion of fact or law, the petitioner has failed to overcome the specific findings of the director. In the absence of any allegation detailing specific errors of fact or law made by the director, we cannot find that the petitioner’s submission qualifies as a substantive appeal.

Accordingly, the regulations mandate the summary dismissal of the appeal.

**ORDER:** The appeal is dismissed.