

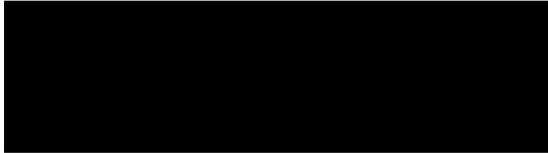
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FILE: EAC 03 200 53283 Office: VERMONT SERVICE CENTER Date: AUG 09 2005

IN RE: Petitioner: [Redacted]
Beneficiary: [Redacted]

PETITION: Petition for a Nonimmigrant Worker Pursuant to Section 101(a)(15)(H)(i)(b) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. § 1101(a)(15)(H)(i)(b)

ON 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 service center director denied the nonimmigrant visa petition and the matter is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. The appeal will be rejected.

It is noted that the petition and the appeal were prepared by an immigration service provider. Although the petition is accompanied by a Form G-28, Notice of Entry of Appearance by an Attorney or Representative, the immigration service provider has not established that it is a licensed attorney or an accredited representative authorized to undertake representations on the petitioner's behalf. *See* 8 C.F.R. § 292.1. Accordingly, the assertions of the immigration service provider will not be considered in this proceeding.

As the appeal was improperly filed, the appeal must be rejected.

ORDER: The appeal is rejected.