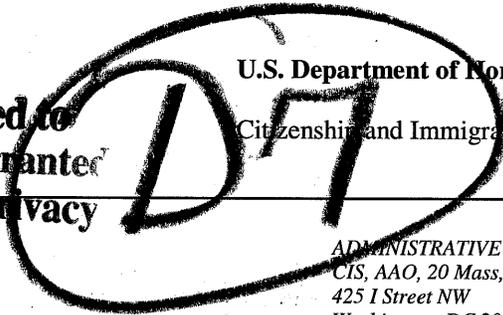


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IN RE: Petitioner:
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PETITION: Petition for a Nonimmigrant Worker Pursuant to Section 101(a)(15)(L) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 C.F.R. § 1101(a)(15)(L)

ON BEHALF OF PETITIONER:



INSTRUCTIONS:

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

DISCUSSION:

The director, Vermont Service Center, denied the nonimmigrant visa petition. The matter is now on appeal before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO). On September 15, 2003, counsel requested that the appeal on behalf of the petitioner be withdrawn.

ORDER:

Based upon the petitioner's motion to withdraw, the AAO dismisses the appeal.


Robert P. Wiemann, Director
Administrative Appeals Office