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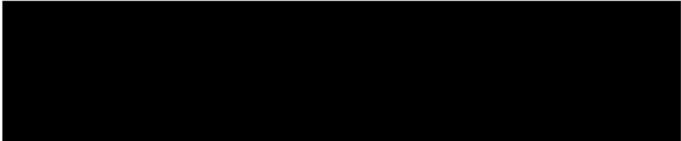
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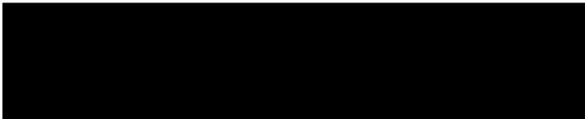
Office: PHILADELPHIA

Date: **AUG 29 2007**

IN RE: Applicant: [REDACTED]

APPLICATION: Application for Status as a Temporary Resident pursuant to Section 245A of the Immigration and Nationality Act, as amended, 8 U.S.C. § 1255a

ON BEHALF OF APPLICANT:



**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 application for temporary resident status pursuant to the terms of the settlement agreements reached in *Catholic Social Services, Inc., et al., v. Ridge, et al.*, CIV. NO. S-86-1343-LKK (E.D. Cal) January 23, 2004, and *Felicity Mary Newman, et al., v. United States Immigration and Citizenship Services, et al.*, CIV. NO. 87-4757-WDK (C.D. Cal) February 17, 2004, (CSS/Newman Settlement Agreements) was denied by the District Director, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Service Center. The matter is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. On February 22, 2007, the applicant requested that the appeal be withdrawn.

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

  
Robert P. Wiemann, Chief  
Administrative Appeals Office