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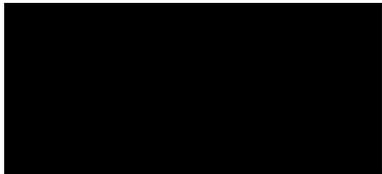
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FILE:  Office: CHICAGO Date: JUN 01 2004

IN RE: Applicant: 

APPLICATION: Application for Status as a Permanent Resident pursuant to Section 1104 of the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000, Pub. L. 106-553, 114 Stat. 2762 (2000), amended by Life Act Amendments, Pub. L. 106-554, 114 Stat. 2763 (2000).

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.

Robert P. Wiemann, Director
Administrative Appeals Office

DISCUSSION: The application for permanent resident status under the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act was denied by the District Director, Chicago, Illinois and is now before the Administrative Appeals Office on appeal. The case will be remanded for further action and consideration.

The regulation at 8 C.F.R. § 245a.20(a)(2) provides that when an adverse decision is proposed, the Citizenship and Immigration Services shall notify the applicant of its intent to deny the application and the basis for the proposed denial. The applicant will be granted 30 days from the date of the notice in which to respond to the notice of intent to deny.

The record contains only the last page of what purports to be a Notice of Intent to Deny. Because the notice is not in its entirety and fails to indicate either the applicant's name or A-number, it cannot be construed that the notice relates to the applicant at hand.

Furthermore, the Notice of Decision is also incomplete as page two of the decision is not included in the record, and therefore the basis for the denial of the application is unclear.

Accordingly, the case is remanded for inclusion of the complete Notice of Intent to Deny and Notice of Decision. If a Notice of Intent to Deny cannot be located or was never issued, the proceedings shall be reopening for issuance of said notice. Likewise, if the complete Notice of Decision cannot be located or failed to specifically address the evidence furnished initially and rendered a determination as to its credibility, a new decision shall be issued. If the new decision is adverse, it shall be certified to this office.

ORDER: The case is remanded for appropriate action and decision consistent with the foregoing.