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U.S. Citizenship  
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FILE:



Office: NATIONAL BENEFITS CENTER

Date: MAY 18 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:

Self-represented

INSTRUCTIONS:

This is the decision of the Administrative Appeals Office in your case. The file has been returned to the National Benefits Center. If your appeal was sustained, or if the matter was remanded for further action, you will be contacted. If your appeal was dismissed, you no longer have a case pending before this office, and you are not entitled to file a motion to reopen or reconsider your case.

Robert P. Wiemann, Director  
Administrative Appeals Office

[REDACTED]

**DISCUSSION:** The application for permanent resident status under the [REDACTED] (LIFE) Act was denied by the [REDACTED] and is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. The appeal will be dismissed.

The director concluded the applicant had not established that he had applied for class membership in any of the requisite legalization class-action lawsuits [REDACTED] therefore, denied the application. In denying the application, the director noted that the photocopied notices purportedly sent to the applicant by Citizenship and Immigration Services (CIS) included an Alien Registration Number (or A-number) which electronic and administrative records indicate had *never* been assigned to him.

In response to the Notice of Decision, the applicant submits a [REDACTED] Notice of Appeal to the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO). At item 2 on the form, the applicant checks box 4, indicating that he is requesting an additional 30 days in which to submit a brief and/or evidence to the AAO. However, as of this date, no further documentation or statement has been submitted into the record of proceedings. In addition, the applicant fails to complete item 3 on the form, in which an individual is requested to specify the *reasons* for filing his appeal.

An applicant for permanent resident status under the LIFE Act must establish that [REDACTED] he or she filed a written claim with the [REDACTED] membership in any of the following legalization class-action lawsuits: [REDACTED]

As stated in 8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(3)(iv), any appeal which is filed that fails to state the reason for appeal, or is patently frivolous, will be summarily dismissed. The applicant has failed to address the reasons stated for denial and has not provided any additional evidence on appeal. The appeal must therefore be summarily dismissed.

**ORDER:** The appeal is dismissed. This decision constitutes a final notice of ineligibility.