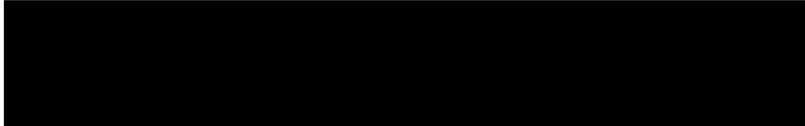




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FILE: [REDACTED]  
MSC 01 338 61138

Office: NEW YORK

Date: FEB 09 2007

IN RE: Applicant: [REDACTED]

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. 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, Chief  
Administrative Appeals Office

**DISCUSSION:** The application for permanent resident status under the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act was denied by the District Director, New York, New York, and is now before the Administrative Appeals Office on appeal. The appeal will be summarily dismissed.

The director denied the application because the applicant had not demonstrated that he had continuously resided in the United States in an unlawful status since before January 1, 1982 through May 4, 1988. Section 1104(c)(2)(B) of the LIFE Act; 8 C.F.R. § 245a.11(b).

The applicant timely filed a Form I-290B, Notice of Appeal to the Administrative Appeals Unit, in which he states that the director's decision is capricious and without merit.<sup>1</sup> The applicant indicated on the Form I-290B that a brief and/or additional evidence would be submitted within 30 days of filing the appeal. As of the date of this decision, however, more than 30 months after the appeal was filed, no further documentation has been received by the AAO. Therefore, the record will be considered complete as presently constituted.

The regulation at 8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(1)(v) states, in pertinent part:

An officer to whom an appeal is taken shall summarily dismiss any appeal when the party concerned fails to identify specifically any erroneous conclusion of law or statement of fact for the appeal.

The applicant has failed to identify specifically any erroneous conclusion of law or a statement of fact in this proceeding; therefore, the appeal must be summarily dismissed.

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

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<sup>1</sup> The record contains a Form G-28, Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney or Representative, purporting to authorize [REDACTED] to act on behalf of the applicant. It is noted that [REDACTED] is currently on the list of suspended and expelled practitioners. (See <http://usdoj.gov/eoir/profcond/chart.htm>, accessed on January 24, 2007.) Therefore, CIS may not recognize [REDACTED] in this proceeding.