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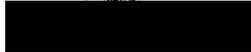


U.S. Citizenship
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FILE:



Office: VERMONT SERVICE CENTER

Date: SEP 3 2004

IN RE:

Applicant:



APPLICATION:

Application for Temporary Protected Status under Section 244 of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. § 1254

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, Director
Administrative Appeals Office

DISCUSSION: The application was denied by the Director, Vermont Service Center, and is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. The appeal will be summarily dismissed.

The applicant is a native and citizen of Honduras who is seeking Temporary Protected Status (TPS) under section 244 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (the Act), 8 U.S.C. § 1254.

The applicant filed his initial Form I-821, Application for Temporary Protected Status, on July 3, 2003.

The director determined that the applicant had failed to establish that he is eligible for late registration under the provisions of 8 C.F.R. §244.2(f)(2). The director further determined that the applicant had failed to establish that he had continuously resided in the United States since December 30, 1998, and had been continuously physically present in the United States since January 5, 1999. The director denied the application on October 8, 2003.

The applicant filed a Form I-290B, Notice of Appeal, on November 10, 2003. The applicant did not submit any statement and/or evidence in support of the appeal.

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. 8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(1)(v).

Inasmuch as the applicant has failed to identify specifically an erroneous conclusion of law or a statement of fact in this proceeding, the appeal must be summarily dismissed.

An alien applying for temporary protected status has the burden of proving that he or she meets the requirements enumerated above and is otherwise eligible under the provisions of section 244 of the Act. The applicant has failed to meet this burden.

ORDER: The appeal is summarily dismissed.