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FILE:



Office: VERMONT SERVICE CENTER

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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.

for 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 El Salvador who is seeking Temporary Protected Status (TPS) under section 244 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (the Act), 8 U.S.C. § 1254.

The director denied the application after determining that the applicant did not appear eligible to file for late registration. The director also determined that the applicant failed to provide sufficient evidence to show that he had been continuously residing and had been continuously physically present in the United States during the requisite timeframes.

On appeal, the applicant had indicated that a brief and/or evidence would be sent on or before April 19, 2004. No additional evidence was submitted within the 30-day time period stated by the applicant. The AAO, in a letter dated May 13, 2005, provided the applicant another opportunity to submit “additional evidence and/or brief to be sent to the Administrative Appeals Office by mail or fax within five business days.” The applicant was advised that failure to respond within five business days might result in the summary dismissal of the appeal. To date, no additional information or evidence has been received. Consequently, the record must be considered complete.

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 any erroneous conclusion of law or a statement of fact in this proceeding, the appeal must be summarily dismissed.

An alien applying for TPS 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 dismissed.