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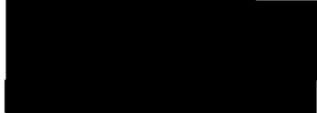
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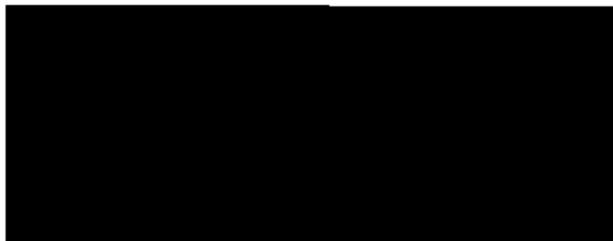
IN RE:

Petitioner: 

Beneficiary: 

PETITION: Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker as a Skilled Worker or Professional Pursuant to Section 203(b)(3) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. § 1153(b)(3)

ON BEHALF OF PETITIONER:



INSTRUCTIONS:

Enclosed please find the decision of the Administrative Appeals Office in your case. All of the documents related to this matter have been returned to the office that originally decided your case. Please be advised that any further inquiry that you might have concerning your case must be made to that office.

Thank you,

Ron Rosenberg
Acting Chief, Administrative Appeals Office

DISCUSSION: The Director, Nebraska Service Center, denied the employment-based immigrant visa petition. The matter is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. The appeal will be rejected pursuant to 8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(2)(v)(A)(1).

The petitioner describes itself as a construction business. It seeks to employ the beneficiary permanently in the United States as a drywall texturer. The petitioner requests classification of the beneficiary as a professional or skilled worker pursuant to section 203(b)(3)(A) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (the Act), 8 U.S.C. § 1153(b)(3)(A).

The director's decision denying the petition concludes that the beneficiary did not possess the requisite training for the proffered position.

The record of proceeding contains a properly executed Form G-28, Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney or Accredited Representative, for the beneficiary's representative. Additionally, the Form I-290B, Notice of Appeal or Motion, was signed by the beneficiary.¹ The regulation at 8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(1)(iii)(B) specifically prohibits a beneficiary of a visa petition, or a representative acting on a beneficiary's behalf, from filing an appeal. There is no evidence in the record that the petitioner consented to the filing of the appeal.

As the appeal was not properly filed, and it is unclear whether or not the petitioner consented to having an appeal filed on its behalf, it will be rejected. 8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(2)(v)(A)(1).²

ORDER: The appeal is rejected.

¹ On February 25, 2010, the director notified the petitioner's counsel that a properly executed Form G-28 was required. No properly executed Form G-28 was received by the AAO.

² Even if the appeal was not rejected, the AAO notes that the website for the Arizona Corporation Commission states that your organization is currently undergoing dissolution. See <http://starpas.azcc.gov/scripts/cgiip.exe/WService=wsbroker1/names-detail.p?name-id=14169644&type=CORPORATION> (accessed September 25, 2012). A copy of the status report for your organization is attached. If your organization is no longer in business, then no *bona fide* job offer exists, and the petition and appeal are therefore moot. Even if the appeal could be otherwise sustained, the approval of the petition would be subject to automatic revocation due to the termination of your organization's business. See 8 C.F.R. § 205.1(a)(iii)(D). Moreover, any concealment of the true status of your organization seriously compromises the credibility of the remaining evidence in the record. See *Matter of Ho*, 19 I&N Dec. 582, 586 (BIA 1988). This issue must be addressed in any future filings.