

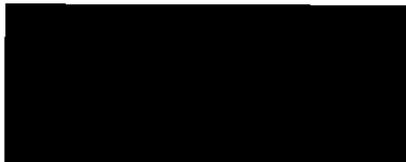
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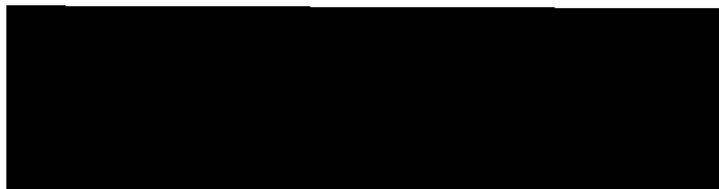
Petitioner:

Beneficiary:



PETITION: Petition for a Nonimmigrant Worker Pursuant to Section 101(a)(15)(L) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. § 1101(a)(15)(L)

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.

If you believe the AAO inappropriately applied the law in reaching its decision, or you have additional information that you wish to have considered, you may file a motion to reconsider or a motion to reopen with the field office or service center that originally decided your case by filing a Form I-290B, Notice of Appeal or Motion, with a fee of \$630. The specific requirements for filing such a motion can be found at 8 C.F.R. § 103.5. **Do not file any motion directly with the AAO.** Please be aware that 8 C.F.R. § 103.5(a)(1)(i) requires any motion to be filed within 30 days of the decision that the motion seeks to reconsider or reopen.

Thank you,

Perry Rhew  
Chief, Administrative Appeals Office

**DISCUSSION:** The Director, Vermont Service Center, denied the nonimmigrant visa petition, and the matter is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. The appeal will be dismissed as the matter is now moot.

The petitioner filed the nonimmigrant petition to classify the beneficiary as an intracompany transferee pursuant to section 101(a)(15)(L) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (the Act), 8 U.S.C. § 1101(a)(15)(L). The petitioner, a New York corporation, intends to operate as Chinese-language media provider. It seeks to transfer the beneficiary from its Chinese parent company for a period of one-year to serve as chief executive officer of the new office in the United States.

The director denied the petition on April 15, 2010 based on a conclusion that the petitioner failed to establish that it had secured sufficient physical premises to house the new United States office. The petitioner filed a timely appeal on May 14, 2010.

A review of the records of U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) indicates that, subsequent to the denial of the petition, the petitioner filed a new Form I-129, Petition for a Nonimmigrant Worker, on May 3, 2010. [REDACTED] USCIS approved the petition and granted the beneficiary L-1A status from May 13, 2010 through May 12, 2011. USCIS subsequently approved a petition to extend the beneficiary's status through May 12, 2013 [REDACTED].

While the petitioner has not withdrawn the appeal in this proceeding, it would appear that the beneficiary is presently authorized for employment with the petitioner in the requested classification, and the issues in this proceeding are moot. Therefore, this appeal is dismissed.

**ORDER:** The appeal is dismissed as moot.