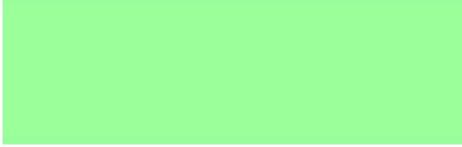


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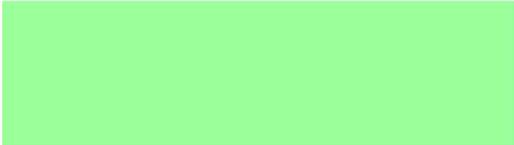
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IN RE: APPLICANT: 

APPLICATION: Application for Waiver of Grounds of Inadmissibility under Section 212(h) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. § 1182(h)

ON BEHALF OF APPLICANT:



Enclosed please find the decision of the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) in your case.

This is a non-precedent decision. The AAO does not announce new constructions of law nor establish agency policy through non-precedent decisions. If you believe the AAO incorrectly applied current law or policy to your case or if you seek to present new facts for consideration, you may file a motion to reconsider or a motion to reopen, respectively. Any motion must be filed on a Notice of Appeal or Motion (Form I-290B) within 33 days of the date of this decision. **Please review the Form I-290B instructions at <http://www.uscis.gov/forms> for the latest information on fee, filing location, and other requirements.** See also 8 C.F.R. § 103.5. **Do not file a motion directly with the AAO.**

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ron Rosenberg".

Ron Rosenberg
Chief, Administrative Appeals Office

DISCUSSION: The waiver application was denied by the Field Office Director, Houston, Texas. The matter is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. The appeal will be dismissed.

The applicant is a native and citizen of Romania who was found to be inadmissible to the United States pursuant to section 212(a)(2)(A)(i)(I) for having committed crimes involving moral turpitude. The applicant seeks a waiver of inadmissibility in order to reside in the United States with his lawful permanent resident spouse.

The Field Office Director found that the applicant failed to establish that he was eligible for a favorable exercise of discretion and denied the Form I-601 application for a waiver accordingly. *Decision of the Field Office Director*, dated January 16, 2013.

On appeal, counsel contends that the decision to deny the waiver application was in error because the Field Office Director did not properly consider the positive factors and the hardship to the applicant's U.S. citizen family members. *Statement from Counsel on Form I-290B*. Counsel further requested 45 days in which to file a brief in support of the appeal. However, no brief or other additional documentation was provided in support of the appeal.

8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(1) states in pertinent part:

- (v) *Summary dismissal.* 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 AAO finds that the applicant's appeal fails to identify any erroneous conclusion of law or statement of fact in the Field Office Director's decision. The appeal is therefore summarily dismissed.

ORDER: The appeal is summarily dismissed.