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IN RE: Petitioner:
Beneficiary: [redacted]

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:

[redacted]

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.

If you believe the law was inappropriately applied or you have additional information that you wish to have considered, you may file a motion to reconsider or a motion to reopen. Please refer to 8 C.F.R. § 103.5 for the specific requirements. All motions must be submitted to the office that originally decided your case by filing a Form I-290B, Notice of Appeal or Motion, with a fee of $585. Any motion must be filed within 30 days of the decision that the motion seeks to reconsider or reopen, as required by 8 C.F.R. § 103.5(a)(1)(i).

John F. Grissom
Acting Chief, Administrative Appeals Office

**DISCUSSION:** The preference visa petition was denied by the Director, Nebraska Service Center, and is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. The appeal will be dismissed.

The petitioner is an Indian restaurant. It seeks to employ the beneficiary permanently in the United States as a kitchen supervisor. As required by statute, the petition is accompanied by Form ETA 750, Application for Alien Employment Certification, approved by the United States Department of Labor (DOL). The director determined that the petitioner had not established that it had the continuing ability to pay the beneficiary the proffered wage beginning on the priority date of the visa petition. The director denied the petition accordingly.

On appeal, counsel states that the director failed to consider the wages paid as compensation of officers and that the director ignored counsel's explanation of the employer's report of taxable income on the tax returns. Counsel indicated on the Form I-290B, Notice of Appeal or Motion, that a brief and/or additional evidence would be submitted to the AAO within 30 days. However, no brief or evidence has been received by the AAO. The regulation at 8 CFR §§ 103.3(a)(2)(vii) and (viii) states that an affected party may make a written request to the AAO for additional time to submit a brief and that, if the AAO grants the affected additional time, it may submit the brief directly to the AAO.

As stated in 8 C.F.R. § 103.3(a)(1)(v), any appeal that fails to specifically identify any erroneous conclusion of law or statement of fact will be summarily dismissed.

A review of the decision reveals that the director accurately set forth a legitimate basis for denial of the petition. Contrary to the assertions of counsel, the director did, in fact, address counsel's arguments regarding compensation of officers as well as net income as listed on the petitioner's tax returns. On appeal, the petitioner has not presented additional evidence. Nor has the petitioner specifically addressed the basis for denial. The appeal must therefore be summarily dismissed.

**ORDER**: The appeal is dismissed.