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Date:

Office: TEXAS SERVICE CENTER

FILE:

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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)

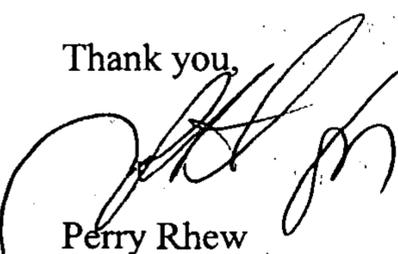
ON BEHALF OF PETITIONER:

SELF-REPRESENTED

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,


Perry Rhew
Chief, Administrative Appeals Office

DISCUSSION: The Director, Texas 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 dismissed.

The petitioner is an auto parts firm. It seeks to employ the beneficiary permanently in the United States as an automotive body worker. The petitioner seeks to classify the beneficiary as an alien worker pursuant to section 203(b)(3) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (the Act), 8 U.S.C. § 1153(b)(3), as a skilled worker. The director determined that the petitioner had not established that it had the continuing financial ability to pay the proffered wage as of the priority date of the visa petition and denied the petition accordingly.

Review of U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) records indicates that, subsequent to filing the instant petition, the alien filed a Form I-485 Application to Adjust Status, receipt number [REDACTED] which was approved on November 6, 2009. Because the alien has adjusted to lawful permanent resident status, further pursuit of the matter at hand is moot.

ORDER: The appeal is dismissed based on the alien's adjustment to lawful permanent resident status.