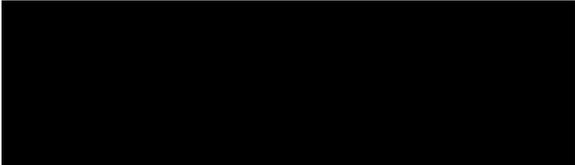


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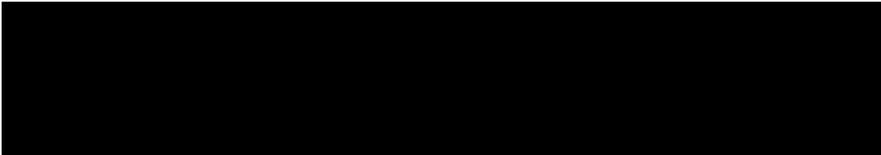
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IN RE: Petitioner:
Beneficiary:



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)

IN BEHALF OF PETITIONER:



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.


Robert P. Wiemann, Chief
Administrative Appeals Office

DISCUSSION: The Director, Texas Service Center, denied the petition for a nonimmigrant visa. The matter is now before the Administrative Appeals Office (AAO) on appeal. The AAO will dismiss the appeal.

The petitioner filed this nonimmigrant visa petition seeking to employ the beneficiary in the position of director of communications as an L-1A nonimmigrant 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 is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida and is a photography and publicity school. The petitioner claims a qualifying relationship with [REDACTED]," located in Mexico.

The director denied the petition concluding that the petitioner did not establish that the beneficiary will be employed in a primarily managerial or executive capacity.

The petitioner filed an appeal. The director declined to treat the appeal as a motion and forwarded the appeal to the AAO for review.

A review of Citizenship and Immigration Services records indicates that this beneficiary is also the beneficiary of an approved L-1A nonimmigrant petition filed by the same petitioner, valid from February 15, 2006 until February 15, 2009 (SRC 06 092 53596). While the petitioner has not withdrawn the appeal in this proceeding, it would appear that the beneficiary is either presently in L-1A status or is able to apply for the appropriate visa abroad, and the issues in this proceeding are moot. Therefore, this appeal is dismissed.

ORDER: The appeal is dismissed as moot.