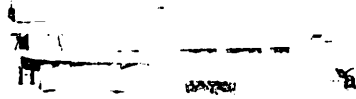


**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**  
**U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES**  
 300 N. Los Angeles Street  
 Los Angeles, CA. 90012

**NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF RELATIVE IMMIGRANT VISA PETITION**

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PETITIONER:




Name of Beneficiary	
CLASSIFICATION 201 (b) spouse	FILE NO
DATE PETITION FILED 02/26/2009	DATE OF APPROVAL OF PETITION 10/04/2010

Date: October 4, 2010

The visa petition that you filed has been approved. The beneficiary for whom you filed has been given the appropriate classification. Please note that the approval gives no assurance that the beneficiary will automatically be found eligible for visa issuance, admission to the United States or adjustment to lawful permanent resident status. Whether the beneficiary receives a visa is decided only when an application is made to an U.S. consular officer. Whether the beneficiary is admitted or adjusts status in the United States is decided only when an application is made to an U.S. immigration officer.

- 1  YOUR PETITION TO CLASSIFY THE BENEFICIARY AS AN IMMEDIATE RELATIVE OF A UNITED STATES CITIZEN HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE AT \_\_\_\_\_. THIS COMPLETES ALL ACTION BY THIS SERVICE ON THE PETITION. THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE WHICH IS PART OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE WILL CONTACT THE BENEFICIARY AND ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS ABOUT RECEIVING A VISA. QUESTIONS ABOUT OBTAINING A VISA SHOULD BE MADE TO THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE
- 2  IF YOU BECOME A NATURALIZED CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES AND AN IMMIGRANT VISA HAS NOT YET BEEN ISSUED TO THE BENEFICIARY NOTIFY THE OFFICE IMMEDIATELY, GIVING THE DATE OF YOUR NATURALIZATION. IF THE PETITION WAS IN BEHALF OF YOUR SON OR DAUGHTER PLEASE ADVISE THE SERVICE WHETHER OR NOT THE BENEFICIARY IS STILL UNMARRIED. THIS INFORMATION MAY BE HELPFUL TO THE BENEFICIARY IN RECEIVING A VISA MORE RAPIDLY
- 3  YOUR PETITION FOR PREFERENCE CLASSIFICATION HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE AT \_\_\_\_\_. THIS COMPLETES ALL ACTION BY THE SERVICE. THIS SERVICE DOES NOT ISSUE VISAS IN OTHER COUNTRIES. VISAS ARE ISSUED ONLY BY UNITED STATES CONSULS WHO ARE EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. WHEN THE BENEFICIARY'S TURN IS REACHED ON THE VISA WAITING LIST, THE UNITED STATES CONSUL WILL CONTACT THE BENEFICIARY AND ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS ABOUT RECEIVING A VISA.
- 4  YOUR PETITION SAYS THAT THE BENEFICIARY IS IN THE UNITED STATES AND WILL APPLY TO BECOME A LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT. A FORM I-485 SHOULD BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED BY THE BENEFICIARY WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS (IF THE BENEFICIARY PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED SUCH AN APPLICATION AND HAD IT RETURNED, IT SHOULD BE RESUBMITTED WITHIN 30 DAYS)
- 5  THE BENEFICIARY WILL BE INFORMED OF THE DECISION MADE ON THE PENDING APPLICATION TO BECOME A LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT
- 6  THE PETITION SAYS THAT THE BENEFICIARY IS IN THE UNITED STATES AND WILL APPLY TO BECOME A LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT. THE BENEFICIARY MAY NOT APPLY TO BECOME A PERMANENT RESIDENT HOWEVER, UNTIL A VISA NUMBER IS AVAILABLE. INFORMATION ABOUT VISA NUMBERS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUREAU OF CONSULAR AFFAIRS, WASHINGTON, D.C
- 7  ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED IN SUPPORT OF YOUR PETITION UNACCOMPANIED BY COPIES HAVE BEEN MADE A PERMANENT PART OF THE PETITION. ANY OTHER DOCUMENTS ARE BEING RETURNED WITH THIS FORM.
- 8  REMARKS

Sincerely,  
  
 David Douglas  
 Field Office Director  
 David M. Douglas  
 Field Office Director, IAC