

October 23, 2017

<u>Via Federal Express</u> USCIS Attn: I-765 2501 S. State Hwy. 121 Business Suite 400 Lewisville, TX 75067

## Re: First Name LAST NAME, A#\_\_\_\_\_ Initial Employment Authorization Application by Pending Asylum Applicant NO FEE REQUIRED

Dear Sir or Madam:

The National Immigrant Justice Center (NIJC) represents NAME. My client applied for Asylum on DATE. Because her application has been pending for more than 150 days, pursuant to 8 C.F.R. § 274a.12(c)(8) my client is filing her initial application for employment authorization. As my client has not previously applied or received employment authorization, she is not required to pay the filing fee. Enclosed please find my client's completed application along with two passport style photographs.

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• Form I-765, Employment Authorization Form	3
• Copy of Notice of Individual Merits hearing	4
• Copy of stamped Form I-589	6
Copy of Passport	20

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,