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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW
IMMIGRATION COURT
ELIZABETH, NEW JERSEY

In the Matter of: [redacted]	**File No.: A** [redacted] IN ASYLUM ONLY PROCEEDINGS

Immigration Judge [redacted]

Next Hearing: June 19, 2014, 1:00 PM

MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

Respondent, through counsel, [redacted] Esq., hereby moves this Court to allow for a continuance of her hearing, currently scheduled for June 19, 2014 at 1:00 PM, as counsel is scheduled to attend the American Immigration Lawyer's Association (AILA) yearly conference in Boston from June 18-June 21, 2014.

I. PROCEDURAL HISTORY

Respondent, a national of [redacted] is in asylum-only removal proceedings before this Court. On February 10, 2014, Respondent, through former counsel, [redacted] filed an asylum application and supporting evidence. Respondent's individual hearing was initiated on March 19, 2014, and continued until May 1, 2014. On May 1, 2014, Respondent, through counsel, filed an Emergency Motion to Continue because Respondent's prior counsel, then 34 weeks pregnant, had been admitted to the emergency room.

This Court granted that motion for continuance during a short hearing on May 1, 2014, during which the Court scheduled Respondent's individual hearing to be continued on June 19, 2014 at 1 PM. Upon returning to the office, counsel discovered that she is scheduled to be in Boston to attend the yearly AILA conference from June 18 through June 21, 2014, which creates a conflict with Respondent's rescheduled hearing date.

II. REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE

A motion for continuance may be granted for good cause shown. 8 C.F.R. § 1003.29. Counsel seeks a continuance of the individual hearing as she is scheduled to be in Boston at the yearly AILA conference from June 18 through 21, 2014, which creates a conflict with Respondent's rescheduled hearing date of June 19, 2014. Counsel has paid the AILA conference

registration fee and has booked lodging for the conference; the cost of neither can be reimbursed. Counsel only discovered this conflict upon updating her calendar earlier this week, and files this motion at the earliest possible date and deeply regrets the inconvenience she has caused the Court.

WHEREFORE, Respondent respectfully asks that the Court exercise discretion and grant this motion for a continuance of Respondent's individual hearing, currently scheduled for June 19, 2014 at 1 PM, for any date after June 22, 2014.

Date: May 15, 2014

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Marriott Copley Place & Westin Copley Place
June 18- 21, 2014

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AC14 Non-Profit AILA Member by Early Bird Deadline	1	$685.00	$0.00	$685.00

Total:	**$685.00**
Total Paid:	**$685.00**
Balance Due:	**$0.00**

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Date	Type	Method	Status	Amount	Reference
02/26/2014	Payment	[redacted]	Approved	$685.00	[redacted]

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I served a copy of the foregoing Motion for Continuance and accompanying papers upon the Executive Office of Immigration Review, via Federal Express Airbill 804726900104, and upon the Office of Chief Counsel of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement, via Federal Express Airbill 804726900115 at the following addresses:

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