

July 10, 2009

Recommendation for Citizenship in the United States of America
for Muhammad Zahid Chaudhry

To Whom It May Concern:

I am a veteran and Muhammad Zahid Chaudhry is a veteran. If you join our (United States of America's) Armed Forces in service of your country - you are giving the ultimate, your body, your soul, you are giving your life for as long as it (the conflict) takes. If that isn't enough, what does it take to be a citizen of the United States? That's not just my thinking; I believe every veteran thinks that way. Zahid has definitely earned the right to be a citizen of the United States of America based solely upon his military service, let alone lots of other great things he's done in the community and for the people of the United States of America, and should not be treated in the manner that he is being treated by the Immigration and Naturalization Services and Homeland Security.

And as for being in civilian life, he has been very productive for himself, and he hasn't asked for help from anyone. Over the years he's helped me, and that has been important to me. He's the best friend you can ask for; when he tells you he's going to do something, he does it. You can't ask for a better friend or citizen than that.

My name is Lloyd Ivor Larson; I live at 314 No. 40th Ave, in Yakima, Washington. I am a Natural born United States citizen and am 65 years old. I am a Foreman and Manager, and Heavy Duty Diesel Mechanic. I have known Muhammad Zahid Chaudhry since late 2000. My wife and I attended the wedding of Zahid and Ann in January 2001. My wife was one of their wedding attendants. We both enjoyed attending their wedding reception after they returned from their honeymoon in March of 2001. We've enjoyed many good times together at their house or our house since then.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Sincerely,



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