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To Whom it may concern:

As a surviving eighty-five year old WW II Army Air Force officer who completed forty missions as a bombardier in the South Pacific theater, I am writing this letter to you today in behalf of Muhammad Zahid Chaudhry. While I am of retirement age, fortunately I am still able to carry out my responsibilities around our home, property and rental business. I serve as a Deacon at First Presbyterian Church in Yakima calling on the sick and other duties. In this community, I have committed my time and resources to help at the Union Gospel Mission and Habitat for Humanity .

This letter of mine is a protest about the threatened deportation of Muhammad Chaudhry. I am appalled at the treatment which has been given to a fellow war veteran by the United States INS. His Army record while in Iraq does not reveal any reason for this inappropriate punishment. He should be accepted as an honored candidate for United States citizenship as a battle-scarred veteran.

I met Muhammad Chaudhry in November of 2003. Since then I have worshipped with him at our 1500 member First Presbyterian Church in Yakima, Washington. For many years I have known his wife and family. They are valued members of this community. They have welcomed and appreciated her husband, Muhammad Chaudhry in the years of their marriage. If his character was questionable, would that be so? \*\*\*\*\*. As members of this community since 1974, we have never heard of or read anything negative about this man. \*\*\*\*\*

I am asking the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service to rescind its decision against Mr. Chaudhry. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

With deep concern for justice in this case, I am:



Harley L. Drollinger

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