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In re: LEYMI SAHIRA MORENO GRULLON

IN REMOVAL PROCEEDINGS

MOTION

ON BEHALF OF RESPONDENT: Rosaura Gonzalez Rucci, Esquire

ON BEHALF OF DHS: Kimberly Hillery

Assistant Chief Counsel

APPLICATION: Reopening

Due to the circumstances presented in this case, and to resolve any issue regarding jurisdiction in this case, we will adjudicate the instant motion in the exercise of our sua sponte authority. See 8 C.F.R. § 1003.2(a). On November 21, 2013, the respondent, a native and citizen of the Dominican Republic, filed a motion to reopen these removal proceedings to afford her the opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under section 245 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (Act), 8 U.S.C. §1255. The respondent's motion is supported by an approved immediate relative immigrant visa petition (Form I-130) filed by her United States citizen spouse. Given the totality of the evidence now before us, we find reopening is warranted to afford the respondent the opportunity to apply for adjustment of status. Accordingly, the following orders will be entered.

ORDER: The motion to reopen is granted.

FURTHER ORDER: The record is remanded to the Immigration Judge for further proceedings not inconsistent with the foregoing opinion and for the entry of a new decision.

FOR THE BOARD

¹ The record reveals that the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) has granted the respondent a stay of removal. The Department of Homeland Security's untimely brief, which neither addresses the grant of a stay nor provides a reason for its delayed response to the motion, will not be considered.