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USCIS

Attn: Premium I-140 (Box 4008)

2500 Westfield Drive

Elgin, IL 60124-7836

January 2, 2024

RE: Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker

Petitioner/Beneficiary: **Jack Ma, Ph.D.**

Type of Petition: **I-140**

Classification Sought: **INA §203(b)(2)(B)**
 National Interest Waiver

Dear USCIS Officer:

This letter is respectfully submitted in support of Dr. Jack Ma's immigrant petition for classification as a member of the professions holding an advanced degree requesting a national interest waiver of the requirement of a job offer. The submitted evidence demonstrates that Dr. Ma qualifies for a national interest waiver under the analytical framework set forth in *Matter of DHANASAR*, 26 I&N Dec. 884 (AAO 2016). Specifically, the submitted evidence will prove:

1. Dr. Ma is a member of the professions holding an advanced degree;
2. Dr. Ma's proposed endeavor has both substantial merit and national importance;
3. Dr. Ma is well positioned to advance the proposed endeavor; and
4. On balance, it would be beneficial to the United States to waive the requirements of a job offer and thus of a labor certification.

Enclosed are:

1. Form I-140 and check (with G-1145 clipped to the front);
2. Form I-907 and check;
3. Form ETA-9089 (in duplicate);
4. Petition letter;
5. Index of exhibits;
6. Supporting Documents (Exhibits A-E).

Your thoughtful consideration is greatly appreciated.

Jack Ma, Ph.D.