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Dear USCIS Officer,

My name is Zhi Gui, my mother's name is Hongying Liao. She came to the United States on 2/22/2022 through legal B1/B2 visa. She is staying at 1711 Old Spanish Trail, Apt 457, Houston, TX 77054 with me during her visit, and she was actually planning to leave the United States on July, 2022 since as a housewife, she still need to take care of her mother who is 84 years old, and support my father and family's daily needs as usual.

However, my mother suffers from the acute asthma, which makes her feel very sick after taking the COVID tests (especially throat swabs). Due to the pandemic, the Chinese government asks for many COVID tests for people traveling back from the US, before departure, after arrival and during the 7+3 days of quarantine. Given my mother's health situation. I am very concerned if she could go through these tests without lots of pain and even life-threatening (as you may know, asthma is a very dangerous disease and may cause death if left untreated). In addition, the flights back to China is still very limited and the ticket price is too expensive to our family. So I want to assist her to extend her stay for another 6 months in the US. My mother is financially self supported. She and my father have stable income in China and can afford her trip to the US. She will live with me in my apartment during the stay and I will definitely help cover her expense if needed (please kindly find my bank statement attached with this application). My mother share strong bonds with her relatives and friends in China. Besides, my mother is receiving a good pension after she retired. And she own two apartments in China. Also as my father and my grandmother both live in China, she will for sure go back to China after visiting us. We planned her return at the end of December, 2022 (after my daughter's 5 years old birthday, because it has been almost 5 years since they last get-together, and it will be the first birthday they will spend together, it really means a lot to my family).

Therefore, please consider my mother's situation and kindly extend her legal staying in the US. If you have any concerns or any questions regarding my mother's case, please feel free to contact me at +1-346-212-8175 or via email to gracesunshine91@gmail.com. Thank you very much for processing the extension application and appreciate your understanding.

Sincerely,

Zhi Gui