

Bui Van So  
923 1/2 N. 31st Street  
Billings, MT 59101  
(406) 256 4939

December 23, 1996

Mr. Dewey Pendergrass, Director  
Orderly Departure Program  
Box 58 -- American Embassy  
APO AP 96546

Re: Bui Van So  
IV# 276301  
HO# RF1- 1710  
Needs L.O.I.: ☒ Yes    No  
Date of ODP Interview: 10/25/95

Dear Mr. Pendergrass:

I am writing on behalf of my son and daughter:

Bui Van Thuy                      Date of Birth: 07/01/64  
Bui Van Ai Quoc:                      12/12/69

Address:

Ben Cat, Song Be  
Viet Nam

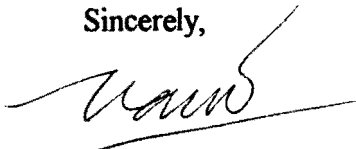
I believe that their status under the eligibility guidelines of the Orderly Departure Program (ODP) is affected by the McCain Amendment of the 1997 Foreign Operation Act which restores eligibility to the unmarried over-21 sons and daughters of the former Vietnamese political prisoners.

I request that ODP check the case according to the case numbers provided above and confirm for me that the son and daughter listed above are eligible and part of the group that ODP is now contacting to invite to interview. If a new letter of introduction has already been sent, I would appreciate knowing the date it was sent and to what address in Vietnam. That will help me ensure it arrives.

I appreciate that your office is busy with many cases, but my family and I are equally anxious to ensure that the case of our children be reconsidered under the new law before their eligibility expires.

On behalf of my family, I thank you for your help in this matter.

Sincerely,



Bui Van So

cc: FVPPA,                      Falls Church, VA 22043  
The Episcopal Church Center/EMM, Attn: Liz Blunt  
"For Information and Follow-up"

### PARENTS INFORMATION

Father's Name: Bùi Văn Thọ Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ L/M/F

No. of eligible Children: 02

Address in USA: \_\_\_\_\_ MT 59101

Phone: (H)(406) 256-4939 (W)( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Status: Refugee: ☒ ; Widow: \_\_\_\_\_ ; Immigrant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of ODP interview: 25.10.95 DD/MM/YY IV#: 276301 HO#: RF1-1710

### CHILDREN INFORMATION IN VIETNAM

Child name: Bùi Văn Thủy L/M/F DOB: 01.08.67 DD/MM/YY

Address in Vietnam: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: M Marital Status: S Marriage date: \_\_\_\_\_ DD/MM/YY

Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (L/M/F) DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ DD/MM/YY

Father IV#: \_\_\_\_\_ No. Of Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Exit Permit: \_\_\_\_\_ LOI: \_\_\_\_\_

### CHILD/CHILDREN INFORMATION IN VIETNAM

Child/Child Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (L/M/F) DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ DD/MM/YY

Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Grandfather IV#: \_\_\_\_\_

### FINAL STATUS INFORMATION

Date of ODP Interview: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Arrival: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Denial: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Appeal: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

### PARENTS INFORMATION

Father's Name: Bùi Văn Sơ Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ L/M/F

No. of eligible Children: 02

Address in USA: \_\_\_\_\_, MT 59101

Phone: (F) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

Status: Refugee: ✓ Widow: \_\_\_\_\_ Immigrant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of ODP interview: 25-10-95 DD/MM/YY IV#: 276301 HO#: RF1-1710

### CHILDREN INFORMATION IN VIETNAM

Child name: Bùi Thị Quỳnh Tiên L/M/F DOB: 11-10-72 DD/MM/YY

Address in Vietnam: \_\_\_\_\_ Sông Bé

Sex: F Marital Status: S Marriage date: \_\_\_\_\_ DD/MM/YY

Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (L/M/F) DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ DD/MM/YY

Father IV#: \_\_\_\_\_ No. Of Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Exit Permit: \_\_\_\_\_ LOI: \_\_\_\_\_

### CHILD/CHILDREN INFORMATION IN VIETNAM

Child/Child Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (L/M/F) DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ DD/MM/YY

Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Grandfather IV#: \_\_\_\_\_

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**December 15, 1996**

Re: Bui Van So  
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HO# RF1- 1710  
Date of ODP Interview: 10/25/95

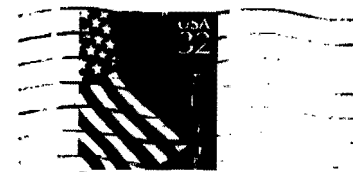
**Bui Van Thuy**      **Date of Birth:** 08/01/67  
**Bui Thi Quynh Tien**      **Date of Birth:** 10/11/72  
**Address:** Ben Cat, Song Be  
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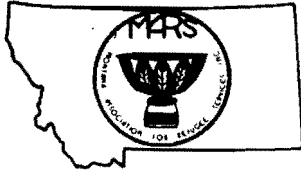
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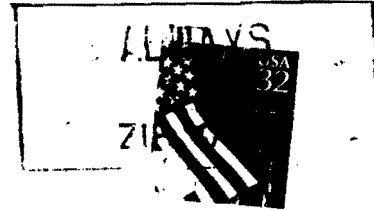
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