

Name : LAM VAN CO

Address :

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Date: DEC - 9 - 96

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

RE : LAM VAN CO - DOB : 09-18-40

V # : 112988

IV # : 366743 HO # : RF 1- 1803

Exit permit : YES

Needs LOI : YES

Date of ODP Interview : Jun. 02-95

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Dear Mr. Pendergrass:

I am writing on behalf of my children:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
1- LAM NGUYEN THANH HUNG DOB: 1-19-69	41/31/5 PHAN CHU TRINH XUAN AN- LONG KHANH DONG NAI- SOUTH VIET NAM
2- LAM NGUYEN THANH PHUONG DOB: 9-28-71	
3- LAM NGUYEN THANH TAM DOB: 8-4-73	

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 Operations 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 case number provided above and confirm for me that the sons or 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,

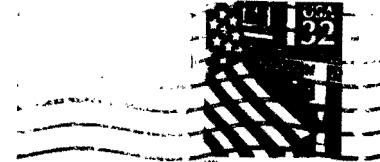


cc: FVPPA,

For information and Follow-up

FROM : LAM VAN CO

IV: 366.743



TO : FAMILIES OF VIETNAMESE  
POLITICAL PRISONERS ASSOC (FVPPA)

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