

# ỦY BAN VĂN ĐỘNG

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## FREEDOM COMMITTEE

For Imprisoned Pastors and Christians in Viet Nam

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RELIGIOUS & OR POLITICAL PRISONER REGISTRATION FORM  
(Two Copies)

IV # 527703

VEWL.#

I-771 : ☒ Yes, ☐ No

The purpose of this form is to identify persons who are or were formerly interned in re-education camps in Vietnam, so that eligibility for U.S. admission via the Orderly Departure Program can be established.

1. APPLICANT IN VIETNAM LE PHUOC THANH  
Last Middle First

Current Address 103/7 BINH THOI, QUAN II, HO CHI MINH CITY, VIETNAM

Date of Birth 4 JUL 41 Place of Birth VIETNAM

Previous Occupation (before 1975) ARMY CAPTAIN  
(Rank & Position)

2. TIME SPENT IN RE-EDUCATION CAMP Dates : From 15 Jun 75 To 6 Sep 77

3. SPONSOR'S NAME: NGOC LE MA  
Name  
WESTMINSTER, CA 92683 TEL. (  
Address & Telephone

4. NAMES OF RELATIVES/ACQUAINTANCES IN THE U.S.

<u>Name, Address &amp; Telephone</u>	<u>Relationship</u>
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If you are eligible to file for the applicant under Category I of the ODP criteria and have not filed an Affidavit of Relationship (AOR), you are encouraged to do so. Also, persons in the U.S. who are eligible to petition for relatives in Vietnam on INS Form I-130 must do so

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(Listed on page 1)

NAME OF DEPENDENT/ACCOMPANYING RELATIVES	DATE OF BIRTH	RELATIONSHIP TO PA.
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DEPENDENT'S ADDRESS : (if different from above)

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6. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION :

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**DATE:** June 27, 1989

Orderly Departure Program  
American Embassy, Box 58  
APO San Francisco 96346-0001

**Re:** LE PHUOC THANH

**Date of Birth:** Jul 04, 1941

**IV # :** 527703

**(VEWL #)** Need : LOI

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Thanking you in advance for your cooperation, consideration and prompt attention regarding this case.

Sincerely yours,

  
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**Enclosures**

**NOTE:** The applicant has been sponsored by Ngoc Le Ma,  
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NOTIFICATION


TO: Mr. LE PHUOC THANH  
ADDRESS: 103/7 Binh Thoi, Quarter 11, 11th District, Ho Chi Minh City

The Department of Interior allows you and your family to leave the country and your names will be forwarded to the United States government for consideration and admission. If approved by the US government, Exist Permits will be issued.

For your information.

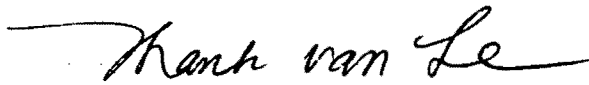
Ha Noi, October 7th, 1988  
Chief, Office of Vietnamese Immigration  
(Signed and Sealed)  
NGUYEN HOAI NAM

I, Tuan Phuc Ma, hereby certify that the above is an accurate translation of the original notification in Vietnamese and that I am in competent in both English and Vietnamese to render such a translation.

Date: November 22, 1988 Signature of translator 

Subscribed and sworn to (affirmed) before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of November 1988  
at Garden Grove, California.

(Seal) My commission expires June 2nd, 1989

  
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

701 w. 17th Street  
Santa Ana, Ca. 92706

NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF RELATIVE IMMIGRANT VISA PETITION

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PETITIONER

• MA, NGOC LE  
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Costa Mesa, Ca. 92627


NAME OF BENEFICIARY	
I.E. THANH PHUOC	
CLASSIFICATION	FILE NO.
203(a)(5)	
DATE PETITION FILED	DATE OF APPROVAL OF PETITION
7-5-84	7-23-84

DATE: 8-15-84

The visa petition you filed has been approved. The beneficiary for whom you filed has been given the appropriate classification. Note the approval gives no assurance that the beneficiary will automatically be found eligible for visa issuance, admission to the United States or adjustment to lawful permanent resident status. Whether the beneficiary gets a visa is decided only when an application is made to a consular officer; whether the beneficiary is admitted or adjusts status in the United States is decided only when an application is made to an immigration officer.

1. ☐ YOUR PETITION TO CLASSIFY THE BENEFICIARY AS AN IMMEDIATE RELATIVE OF A UNITED STATES CITIZEN HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE AT \_\_\_\_\_. THIS COMPLETES ALL ACTION BY THIS SERVICE ON THE PETITION. THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE, WHICH IS PART OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WILL CONTACT THE BENEFICIARY AND GIVE INSTRUCTIONS ABOUT GETTING A VISA. QUESTIONS ABOUT GETTING A VISA SHOULD BE MADE TO THE UNITED STATES CONSUL.
2. ☐ IF YOU BECOME A NATURALIZED CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES AND AN IMMIGRANT VISA HAS NOT YET BEEN ISSUED TO THE BENEFICIARY, NOTIFY THIS OFFICE IMMEDIATELY, GIVING THE DATE OF YOUR NATURALIZATION. IF THE PETITION WAS IN BEHALF OF YOUR SON OR DAUGHTER, PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER THAT PERSON IS STILL UNMARRIED. THIS INFORMATION MAY BE HELPFUL TO THE BENEFICIARY IN GETTING A VISA FASTER.
3. ☒ YOUR PETITION FOR PREFERENCE CLASSIFICATION HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE AT BANGKOK. THIS COMPLETES ALL ACTION BY THE SERVICE. THIS SERVICE DOES NOT ISSUE VISAS IN OTHER COUNTRIES. VISAS ARE ISSUED ONLY BY UNITED STATES CONSULS WHO ARE EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE. WHEN THE BENEFICIARY'S TURN IS REACHED ON THE VISA WAITING LIST, THE UNITED STATES CONSUL WILL CONTACT THE BENEFICIARY AND GIVE INSTRUCTIONS ABOUT GETTING A VISA. VISAS ARE ISSUED ACCORDING TO THE DATE THE PETITION WAS FILED. QUESTIONS ABOUT GETTING A VISA SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE UNITED STATES CONSUL.
4. ☐ YOUR PETITION SAYS THAT THE BENEFICIARY IS IN THE UNITED STATES AND WILL APPLY TO BECOME A LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT. THE ENCLOSED APPLICATION (FORM I-485) SHOULD BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED BY THE BENEFICIARY WITHIN 30 DAYS. (IF THE BENEFICIARY PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED SUCH AN APPLICATION AND HAD IT RETURNED, IT SHOULD BE RESUBMITTED WITHIN 30 DAYS.)
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7. ☐ ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED IN SUPPORT OF YOUR PETITION UNACCOMPANIED BY COPIES HAVE BEEN MADE A PERMANENT PART OF THE PETITION. ANY OTHERS ARE BEING RETURNED WITH THIS FORM.
8. ☐ REMARKS.

VERY TRULY YOURS,

  
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## TRANSLATION OF A CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

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(month) (day) (year) (City) (Country)
4. FATHER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_
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11. DATE OF MARRIAGE: April 30th, 1986
12. PLACE OF MARRIAGE: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month) (Day) (Year)
13. MAGISTRATE: TRAN CONG SAN
14. NOTATION OF IMPORTANCE: Certified copy from the original  
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Date November 18, 1988 Signature of Translator: *Thanh Van Le*

Subscribed and sworn to (affirmed) before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1988.  
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