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Case No.: 2018-TAE-00020

In the Matter of:

**ADMINISTRATOR, WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION,  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,**  
Plaintiff,

v.

**RODRIGO GUTIERREZ TAPIA,  
H-2A LABOR CONTRACTOR,**  
Respondent.

**DECISION AND ORDER CLOSING THE CASE**

This matter arises under the Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. §1101, *et seq.* as amended by the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, Pub. L. 99-603, §301, 100 Stat. 3359, 341, and the implementing regulations at 20 C.F.R. Part 655 and 29 C.F.R. Part 501.

On July 25, 2018, this Court, in the above-captioned case, issued a *Preliminary Order* requesting that the parties advise the Court of proposed hearing dates and the length of time needed for the hearing. On August 14, 2018, a member of my staff was informed by the Solicitor's counsel that, due to an administrative error, the cases identified as 2018-TAE-00020 and 2018-TAE-00025 are, in fact, the same case.

Accordingly, based on the information provided, the case identified as 2018-TAE-00020, is **CLOSED**.

**SO ORDERED.**

LARRY S. MERCK  
Administrative Law Judge