

Record of Sworn Statement in Proceedings under Section 235(b)(1) of the Act

U.S. Department of Homeland Security

Office: EL CENTRO, CA, BORDER PATROL STATION

File No: ██████████ 762
Event No: CAZZ208000492

Statement by ██████████

In the case of: ██████████

Date of Birth: 08/05/1998

Gender (select one): Male Female

At: EL CENTRO, CA, BORDER PATROL STATION

Date: August 21, 2022

Before: ██████████ SINGH

(Name and Title)

BORDER PATROL AGENT

In the HINDI language. Interpreter #259137

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I am an officer of the United States Department of Homeland Security. I am authorized to administer the immigration laws and to take sworn statements. I want to take your sworn statement regarding your application for admission to the United States. Before I take your statement, I also want to explain your rights, and the purpose and consequences of this interview.

You do not appear to be admissible or to have the required legal papers authorizing your admission to the United States. This may result in your being denied admission and immediately returned to your home country without a hearing. If a decision is made to refuse your admission into the United States, you may be immediately removed from this country, and if so, you may be barred from reentry for a period of 5 years or longer.

This may be your only opportunity to present information to me and the Department of Homeland Security to make a decision. It is very important that you tell me the truth. If you lie or give misinformation, you may be subject to criminal or civil penalties, or barred from receiving immigration benefits or relief now or in the future.

Except as I will explain to you, you are not entitled to a hearing or review.

U.S. law provides protection to certain persons who face persecution, harm or torture upon return to their home country. If you fear or have a concern about being removed from the United States or about being sent home, you should tell me so during this interview because you may not have another chance. You will have the opportunity to speak privately and confidentially to another officer about your fear or concern. That officer will determine if you should remain in the United States and not be removed because of that fear.

Until a decision is reached in your case, you will remain in the custody of the Department of Homeland Security.

Any statement you make may be used against you in this or any subsequent administrative proceeding.

Q: Are you willing to answer my questions at this time?

A: Yes.

Q: Do you understand what I've said to you?

A: Yes.

Q: Do you have any questions?

A: No.

Q: Do you swear or affirm that all the statements you are about to make are true and complete?

A: Yes.

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Q: What is your true and correct name?

A: Ajay.

Q: Have you ever used any other names or nicknames?

A: No.

Q: Of what country are you a citizen?

A: India.

Q: When and where were you born?

A: On [REDACTED], India.

Q: Are your parents also natives and citizens of India?

A: Yes.

Q: Have your parents ever applied for or received any U.S. Immigration Documents allowing them to apply for entry, remain, or pass through the United States?

A: No.

Q: Have they ever been to the United States before? If so, then when?

A: No.

Q: Do either of your parents claim any legal status in the United States?

A: No.

Q: Do either of your parents claim any other citizenship or nationality?

A: No.

Q: Have you ever applied for or received any U.S. Immigration Documents allowing you to apply for entry, remain, or pass through the United States?

A: No.

Q: Do you currently have on file, or possess any valid Immigrant or Non-Immigrant Visas?

A: No.

Q: Do you claim any legal status in the United States?

A: No.

Q: Do you claim any other citizenship or nationality?


A: No.

Q: Do you currently have a United States address?

A: No.

Q: What [REDACTED], Haryana, India.

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A: [REDACTED]	Event No [REDACTED]	Date August 21, 2022
<p>Q: Have you been ordered Deported, Excluded or Removed by the Immigration Service Before? A: No.</p> <p>Q: Have you been arrested or convicted of a crime in the United States before and if so, what were the charges? A: No.</p> <p>Q: How many times total have you entered into the United States? A: This is my first time.</p> <p>Q: When did you last enter the United States? A: On August 15, 2022.</p> <p>Q: How and where did you enter into the United States the last time? A: I climbed over the fence at the International Border near Mexicali, Mexico.</p> <p>Q: Were you inspected by an Immigration Officer, or did you apply for entry the last time that you entered into the United States? A: No.</p> <p>Q: What was your destination in the United States? A: California.</p> <p>Q: For what purpose did you come to the United States? A: I came to the United States because I feared for my life in India. I was being threatened by members of the BJP political party.</p> <p>Q: For what length of time did you plan to stay in the United States? A: For the rest of my life.</p> <p>Q: Do you have anyone who is willing to support you financially in the U.S.? A: My friend in California is willing to help me.</p> <p>Q: Would you like to speak with a consular official of your country? A: No.</p> <p>Q: Do you have any fear of persecution or torture should you be removed from the United States? A: Yes, I cannot return to India because my life will be in danger.</p> <p>Q: Would you like to add anything else to this statement? A: No.</p>		
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Q: Why did you leave your home country or country of last residence?

A. **My life was in danger in India.**

Q. Do you have any fear or concern about being returned to your home country or being removed from the United States?

A. **Yes.**

Q. Would you be harmed if you are returned to your home country or country of last residence?

A. **Yes.**

Q. Do you have any question or is there anything else you would like to add?

A. **No.**

I have read (or have had read to me) this statement, consisting of 1 pages (including this page). I state that my answers are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that this statement is a full, true and correct record of my interrogation on the date indicated by the above named officer of the Department of Homeland Security. I have initialed each page of this statement (and the corrections noted on page(s) _____).

Signature: _____

Handwritten initials

Sworn and subscribed to before me at EL CENTRO, CA, BORDER PATROL STATION on August 21, 2022.

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Date: 2022.08.21 05:12:04
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Signature of Immigration Officer

Witnessed by: ERNESTO GARDEA-FERNANDEZ

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