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Judge Paul deFonzo
Immigration Court
1000 Second Ave, Suite 2500
Seattle, WA 98104

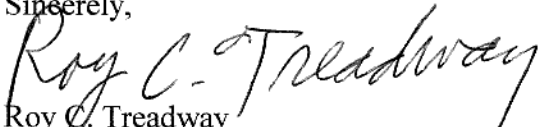
Dear Judge deFonzo:

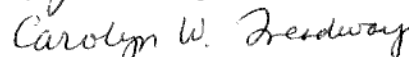
We are writing in strong support for Zahid Chaudhry in his request for U.S. citizenship. We have known Mr. Chaudhry for over three years since we moved to the Olympia area from Central Illinois. We have shared with him often, not only in Lacey, Washington, but also in our faith community, the Olympia Friends Meeting .

We have been impressed by his service to others, particularly to other veterans of the United States military. In our worship together in our church, he has shown deep spiritual insights, always informative and compassionate. In his actions, he has shown concern for others in many practical ways. Despite his injuries from many years of service in the United States military, from which he is permanently wheelchair bound, he supports his wife of 14 years, Ann Chaudhry, and many others in all the ways he can.

For us, he is the model of an American citizen, supporting the country and the people of America. In fact, until very recently, we had no idea he was not a citizen, as we are, and is his wife. If Mr. Chaudhry is not granted permission to stay in the United States and become a citizen, it would be a significant loss to the United States and to all of us who have come to respect him deeply, to love him, and to admire what he has done for so many.

Sincerely,


Roy C. Treadway



Carolyn W. Treadway