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**Issue Date: 24 March 2009**

Case No.: **2009-LCA-00007**

In the Matter of:

**ADMINISTRATOR, WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION,**  
Prosecuting Party,

v.

**SOFTWARE TECHNICAL SERVICES, INC.,**  
Respondent.

**DECISION AND ORDER - APPROVING CONSENT FINDINGS**

This case arises under the H-1B provisions of the Immigration and Nationality Act of 1952, as amended by the Immigration Act of 1990, the Miscellaneous and Technical Immigration and Naturalization Amendments of 1991, and the American Competitiveness and Workforce Improvement Act of 1998 (Title IV of Pub. L. 105-277, Oct. 21, 1998, 112 Stat. 2681) found at 8 U.S.C. §§ 1101 and 1101(a)(15)(H)(i)(b).

On March 10, 2009, I received Consent Findings signed by counsel for the Prosecuting Party and the Respondent's owner. In the Consent Findings, the parties have accepted certain obligations and agreed to specific actions which resolve all existing issues. Having carefully considered the provisions of the Consent Findings, I conclude the parties' resolution is fair and legally sufficient. Accordingly, I APPROVE the Consent findings, dated March 5, 2009. The Approved Consent Findings shall constitute the final administrative order in this case.

SO ORDERED.

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**RICHARD K. MALAMPHY**  
Administrative Law Judge

RKM/ccb  
Newport News, Virginia

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200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210. Once an appeal is filed, all inquiries and correspondence should be directed to the Board.

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