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The Honorable Alejandro Mayorkas
Director
United States Citizenship and Immigration Services
20 Massachusetts Avenue NW
Washington, D.C. 20001

Dear Director Mayorkas:

I respectfully request your full consideration of the I-924 application recently submitted to the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) by International Creative Capital for designation of an EB-5 Regional Center in the State of Minnesota.

At a time when Minnesota small businesses continue to experience challenges with access to capital, this program could be a benefit to the economic vitality of our state. At present, Minnesota is one of a handful of states that does not have any EB-5 projects or a regional center. Creating an EB-5 Regional Center could provide a new tool to better position our state's business community amidst an increasingly competitive global economy.

Thank you for your consideration of the applicant's request. Should you have any questions, your staff can contact Ryan Silverberg in my office at (202) 225-2271 or ryan.silverberg@mail.house.gov.

Sincerely,


JOHN KLINE
Member of Congress