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**MEMORANDUM TO:** David Neal  
Chief Immigration Judge, OCIJ

Juan Osuna  
Acting Chairman, BIA

**FROM:** Kevin J. Chapman /s/  
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**SUBJECT:** Response to Request for Formal OGC Opinion

**I. Introduction.**

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