



U.S. Citizenship
and Immigration
Services

October 31, 2007

NRC2006056215

Alex Calzareth
3444 Stratford Rd.
Wantagh, NY 11793

Dear Alex Calzareth:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act (FOIA/PA) request received in this office July 26, 2006, regarding the subject: Ernst Baer.

We have completed the review of all documents responsive to your request and have identified 12 pages which are responsive to your request. Enclosed are 11 pages released in their entirety, and one page released in part. We have reviewed and have determined to release all information except those portions that are exempt pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(2) and (b)(7)(C) of the FOIA.

The following exemptions are applicable:

Exemption (b)(2) provides protection for records that are related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency. The types of documents and/or information we have withheld under this exemption may relate to internal matters of a relatively trivial nature, such as internal personnel rules and practices which could consist of employee identification codes, computer login codes, policies regarding the use of parking facilities and breakrooms, employee leave policies and dress codes or internal matters of a more substantial nature, the disclosure of which would risk circumvention of a legal requirement, such as operating rules, guidelines and manuals of procedures for examiners or adjudicators.

Exemption (b)(7)(C) provides for personal protection for personal information in law enforcement records, which could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. We have withheld various information relating to third-party individuals. The types of documents and/or information withheld could consist of names, addresses, identification numbers, telephone numbers, fax numbers, or various other documents that are considered personal.

The enclosed record consists of the best reproducible copies available.

In the event you wish to appeal this determination, you may write to the USCIS FOIA/PA Appeals Office, 111 Massachusetts Ave., NW, 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20529, within 60 days of receipt of this letter. Both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

Please be advised that the National Records Center does not process petitions, applications or any other type of benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act. If you have questions or wish to submit documentation relating to a matter pending with the bureau, you must address these issues with your nearest District Office.

If you should have any additional questions about your request, please direct your inquiries to this office at the above address. You may also call us at 816-350-5570 or fax any correspondence to 816-350-5785.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. Cejka", written in a cursive style.

T. Diane Cejka
Director

Enclosure(s)

(b)(2)

(b)(7)

No. 5964078

Name **BAER, Ernst**

residing at **545 W. 162 St., New York, New York, NY**

Age **45** years Date of order of admission **Aug. 3, 1944**

Date certificate issued **Aug. 3, 1944**

U. S. District

Court at **New York City, New York**

Petition No.

444090

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Cert. Ident.

Alien Registration No

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DUPLICATE
TO BE FORWARDED TO
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE



No. 5964078

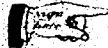
OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE COURT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Petition No. 444090

Personal description of holder as of date of naturalization: Age 48 years, sex male, color white, complexion medium, color of eyes brown, color of hair dk brown, height 5 feet 10 inches, weight 150 pounds, visible distinctive marks none, marital status married, former nationality German.

I certify that the description above given is true, and that the photograph affixed hereto is a likeness of me.



Ernest Bave

(Complete and true signature of holder)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

Be it known, that at a term of the District Court of the United States, New York City, County of New York, held pursuant to law at

on August 3, 1944
ERNEST BAVE

that Court having found that

then residing at 548 West 162 Street, New York, New York, NY, intends to reside permanently in the United States (where so required by the Naturalization Laws of the United States), and in all other respects complied with the applicable provisions of such naturalization laws, and was admitted to be admitted to citizenship, thereupon ordered that such person be and he was admitted as a citizen of the United States of America.

In testimony whereof the seal of the court is hereunto affixed this 3rd day of August 1944 in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and four and of our Independence the one hundred and 69th.

George J. H. Follmer

Clerk of the U. S. District Court

By *Alfred J. Follmer* Deputy Clerk

It is a violation of the U. S. Code (and punishable as such) to copy, print, photograph, or otherwise illegally use this certificate.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

444090

DUPLICATE
(To accompany
monthly report on
Form N-4)

No.

PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

[Under General Provisions of the Nationality Act of 1940 (Public No. 853, 76th Cong.)]

To the Honorable the Court of Southern District of New York
This petition for naturalization, hereby made, is of and by JOHN J. BROWN, who is
(1) My full, true, and correct name is JOHN J. BROWN
(2) My proper place of residence is 100 West 121 Street, New York, N. Y.
(3) I am 28 years old. (A) I was born September 7, 1907 at Bremen, Germany
(4) My personal description is as follows: Height 5' 10" Weight 150 Complexion Fair Eyes Blue Hair Brown Build Slender
present nationality German September 7, 1907 married, the name of my wife is Julia
I was married on September 15, 1933 at New York, N. Y.
he or she was born at New York, N. Y. January 13, 1904
and entered the United States at New York, N. Y. September 8, 1937
and now reside at 100 West 121 Street, New York, N. Y.
(5) My lawful entry into the United States and my lawful residence in the United States are as follows:
My lawful entry into the United States and my lawful residence in the United States are as follows:

(6) My last place of foreign residence was Bremen, Germany
September 8, 1937
(7) My lawful entry into the United States was September 8, 1937
as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached to this petition. not
(8) Since my lawful entry for permanent residence I have not been absent from the United States, for a period or periods of 6 months or longer, as follows:

DEPARTED FROM THE UNITED STATES			RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES		
Port	DATE (Month, day, year)	VESSEL OR OTHER MEANS OF CONVEYANCE	Port	DATE (Month, day, year)	VESSEL OR OTHER MEANS OF CONVEYANCE

(13) I declare my intention to become a citizen of the United States November 5, 1937 US District
Court of Southern District New York, N. Y.
citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, State, or sovereignty of which I am at this time a subject or citizen, and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States. (14) It is my intention in good faith to become a
United States of America for the term of 5 years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since September 8, 1937
and continuously to the date on which this petition is made for the term of 6 months at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since September 8, 1937
(15) I have not been absent from the United States, for a period or periods of 6 months or longer, as follows:
Court, and each petition was denied or denied by that Court for the following reasons and causes, to wit:
(20) Attached hereto and made a part of this, my petition for naturalization, are my declaration of intent to become a citizen of the United States, a certificate of my lawful entry into the United States for permanent residence (if such certificate of arrival is required by the naturalization law), and the affidavits of at least two verifying witnesses required by law.
(21) Wherefore, I, your petitioner for naturalization, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that my name be changed to
(22) I, your petitioner, do hereby affirm that I know the contents of this petition and of the declaration subscribed by me, that the same are true to the best of my own knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe them to be true, and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name JOHN J. BROWN.

Form N-4 (Rev. 1-1-37)
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE
(Including G-1-43)

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DUPLICATE
(To accompany
monthly report on
Form 2209)

No. 101573

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

File No.

DECLARATION OF INTENTION

(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

In the

Court

ERNEST BAER

now residing at 47 West 88th St., New York, New York
Declaration of Intention
Sex male Race white Age 38 years do declare on oath that my personal description is
Color of hair dark Height 6 feet 9 inches Weight 150 pounds; visible distinctive marks
none
I was born in Hebrer, Germany
I am married. The name of my wife is Julia
we were married on September 2, 1937
born at Berlin, Germany
New York, NY August 16, 1914
entered the United States
at 47 West 88th St., New York, NY on January 15, 1932
for permanent residence therein and now
and place of residence of each of said children are as follows:
I have no children.

I have not heretofore made a declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States.

My last foreign residence was Berlin, Germany
I emigrated to the United States of America from Bremen, Germany
my lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at New York, New York
under the name of Ernest Baer
on the vessel Deutschland September 3, 1932

I will, before being admitted to citizenship, renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly, by name, to the prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty of which I may be at the time of admission a citizen or subject; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to reside permanently therein; and I certify that the photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a likeness of me.



Ernest Baer

court a portion of the photograph

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court,
at New York, New York this 6th day of November
Aime Demiel by Certification No. 544154 from the Commission
of Immigration and Naturalization showing the lawful entry of the
declarant for permanent residence on the date stated above, has been received
by me. The photograph affixed to the duplicate and triplicate hereof is a like-
ness of the declarant.

(Seal)

Clerk of Court

By

Form 2209-L-A

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

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Form G-2

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

4-5964078

REPORT FOR CONSOLIDATION OF FILES

Names ^{GOS} BASS, Ernst Feb. 28, 1945

Present address _____ Other address _____

Born at Bruchsal, Baden, Germany Date July 5, 1899

Relatives in United States _____ Occupation _____

Arrivals: Date, port, and manner.

Sept. 3, 1937 New York, N. Y.

S.S. Deutschland

Other information:

General immigration	<u>XX</u>	Registry	_____
General naturalization	<u>XX</u>	Immigration visas	<u>XX</u>
Soundex	_____	Reentry permits	<u>XX</u>
Denied petitions	_____	Student	_____
Declaration of intention	_____	Visa petition	_____
Petition for citizenship	_____	Preexamination	_____
Alien registration	_____	District office*	_____

*This inquiry should not be used as a basis for any investigation unless specifically requested.

All files relating to the above person should be attached to this request and forwarded to Consolidated Files Division.

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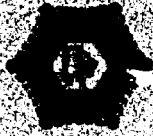
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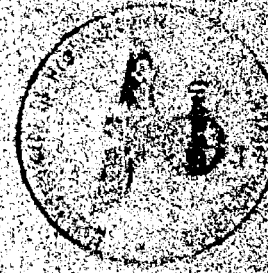
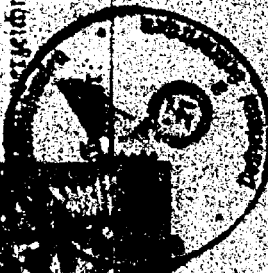
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Dr. A. B.
Reichsausschuss
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

ALIEN REGISTRATION FORM

1. ☆(a) My name is Ernst Beer
(FIRST NAME) (MIDDLE NAME) (LAST NAME)

☆(b) I entered the United States under the name of Ernst Beer

☆(c) I have also been known by the following names none
(Include maiden name if a married woman,
professional names, nicknames, and aliases):

2. ☆(a) I live at 545 West 162 Street New York New York New York
(CURRENT ADDRESS OR RURAL ROUTE) (CITY) (COUNTY) (STATE)

☆(b) My post-office address is Same New York
(POST OFFICE) (STATE)

3. ☆(a) I was born on July 5 1899
(MONTH) (DAY) (YEAR)

☆(b) I was born in (or near) Bruchsal Baden Germany
(CITY) (PROVINCE) (COUNTRY)

4. ☆ I am a citizen or subject of none - last of Germany
(COUNTRY)

5. ☆(a) I am a (check one): Male ☒ Female ☐
☆(b) My marital status is (check one): Single ☐ Married ☒ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐
☆(c) My race is (check one): White ☒ Negro ☐ Japanese ☐ Chinese ☐ Other ☐

6. I am 5 feet, 9 inches in height, weigh 160 pounds, have dark brown hair and brown eyes.
(COLOR) (COLOR)

7. ☆(a) I last arrived in the United States at New York on Sept. 3, 1937
(PORT OR PLACE OF ENTRY) (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR)

☆(b) I came in by S. S. Deutschland
(NAME OF VESSEL, STEAMSHIP, COMPANY OR OTHER MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION)

☆(c) I came as a (check one): Passenger ☒ Crew member ☐ Stowaway ☐ Other ☐
☆(d) I entered the United States as a (check one): Permanent resident ☒ Visitor ☐ Student ☐
Treaty merchant ☐ Seaman ☐ Official of a foreign government ☐ Employee of a
foreign government official ☐ Other ☐

☆(e) I first arrived in the United States on September 3 1937
(MONTH) (DAY) (YEAR)

8. ☆(a) I have lived in the United States a total of 3 years.

☆(b) I expect to remain in the United States permanently
(PERMANENTLY OR DURATION OF EXPECTED STAY)

9. (a) My usual occupation is steward (b) My present occupation is steward

☆(c) My employer (or registering parent or guardian) is Bird in Hand Restaurant
(NAME)
whose address is 711 - 7th Avenue New York New York
(STREET ADDRESS OR RURAL ROUTE) (CITY) (STATE)
and whose business is restaurant

OFFICE
USE

All items must be answered by persons 14 years of age or older. For children under 14 years of age, only the items marked with a star (☆) must be answered by the parent or guardian. All answers must be accurate and complete. 16-15412 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

10. I am, or have been within the past 5 years, or intend to be engaged in the following activities:

In addition to other information, list memberships or activities in clubs, organizations, or societies

None

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11. My military or naval service has been

Germany

Army

(COUNTRY)

From Sept. 1917 to Jan. 1919

(BRANCH OF SERVICE)

(DATE)

(DATE)

12. I have applied for first citizenship papers in the United States. Date of application Sept. 22, 1937

(HAVE HAVE NOT)

First citizenship papers received Nov. 5, 1937 494537 New York New York

(DATE)

(NUMBER)

(CITY)

(STATE)

Filed petition for naturalization

(DATE)

(CITY)

(STATE)

13. I have the following specified relatives living in the United States:

Parent(s) none

(NONE, OR ONE, OR BOTH)

Husband or wife

wife

(YES OR NO)

Children 1 (One)

(NUMBER)

14. I have not been arrested or indicted for, or convicted of any offense (or offenses). These offenses are:

(DATE HAVE NOT)

Nature of offense

Date of arrest

Place of arrest

Disposition of case

15. Within the past 5 years I have not been affiliated with or active in (a member of, official of, a worker for) organizations, devoted in whole or in part to influencing or furthering the political activities, public relations, or public policy of a foreign government.

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AFFIDAVIT FOR PERSONS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER

I have read or have had read to me the above statements, and do hereby swear (or affirm) that those statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me at the place and on the date here designated by the official post-office stamp below.

Ernest B. Auer
(SIGNATURE OF REGISTRANT)

John C. Hunt
(REGISTERING OFFICIAL)

AFFIDAVIT FOR PARENT OR GUARDIAN ONLY

I am the

(PARENT OF, OR GUARDIAN OF, OR PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR)

the above-named alien, who is (UNDER 14 YEARS OF AGE, OR INJANE) and have made the above allegations for him (or her). I have read or have had the same read to me, and do hereby swear (or affirm) that they are true and complete to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

PRINT NAME, ADDRESS, AND BUSINESS OF PERSON SIGNING THIS AFFIDAVIT IN PARENTS ABOVE.

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me at the place and on the date here designated by the official post-office stamp at the right.

(SIGNATURE OF PARENT OF, OR GUARDIAN OF, OR PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ALIEN)

(REGISTERING OFFICIAL)

