

UNPUBLISHED

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

No. 99-1488

SEMEGN ALEMAYEHU,

Petitioner,

versus

U.S. IMMIGRATION & NATURALIZATION SERVICE,

Respondent.

On Petition for Review of an Order of the Board of Immigration Appeals. (A75-334-656)

Submitted: September 8, 1999

Decided: September 23, 1999

Before MICHAEL, MOTZ, and TRAXLER, Circuit Judges.

Affirmed by unpublished per curiam opinion.

Aragaw Mehari, Washington, D.C., for Petitioner. David W. Ogden, Acting Assistant Attorney General, Karen Fletcher Torstenson, Assistant Director, Russell J.E. Verby, Office of Immigration Litigation, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, Washington, D.C., for Respondent.

Unpublished opinions are not binding precedent in this circuit. See Local Rule 36(c).

PER CURIAM:

Appellant Semegn Alemayehu seeks review of the Board of Immigration Appeals' ("the Board") decision and order affirming the immigration judge's denial of her application for asylum and withholding of deportation. Our review of the record discloses that the Board properly affirmed the immigration judge's decision and that this appeal is without merit. Accordingly, we affirm on the reasoning of the Board. See In re: Semegn Alemayehu, No. A75-334-656 (B.I.A. Mar. 25, 1999). We dispense with oral argument because the facts and legal contentions are adequately presented in the materials before the court and argument would not aid the decisional process.

AFFIRMED