

## **9 FAM 42.22 EXHIBIT IV SAMPLE BOARDING AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSPORTATION LINE**

*(CT:VISA-1773; 11-16-2011)  
(Office of Origin: CA/VO/L/R)*

(Embassy or Consulate Letterhead)

The Transportation Company and  
The Supervisory Immigrant Inspector  
U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service at Port of Entry

Sirs:

The (Embassy/Consulate) confirms that (name), born on (date) at (location), is a lawful resident alien of the United States of America, who held Permanent Resident Card A-(card number) as verified by the Immigration and Naturalization Service at (city). An airline may accept this letter as assurance that the above-named alien may be transported to the United States before (date) without danger of penalty imposed by section 273(b) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. The above-named person has been instructed to present the original of this letter to the transportation company on which travel to the United States is intended. The above-named person has also been instructed to present the duplicate of this letter and the sealed envelope containing Form I-90, Application by Lawful Permanent Resident for New Alien Registration Receipt Card and related documents, if any, to the immigration officer at the U.S. port of entry, where the sealed envelope should be opened and all photos matched and compared with the alien submitting them. Upon favorable comparison, the contents of the envelope should be transmitted to the indicated immigration office for processing and adjudication.

Very truly yours,

/s/

John Doe  
Consul of the United States of America  
Photograph (attached on duplicate only)