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On January 9, 2008 I provided the Reasons and Decision To the appellant at the following address: Gurminder Singh BACHRA Personal Service: Po Box #71119, 7921 - 120th St Prepaid Regular Mail: Delta, BC V4C 8E7 Courier: Fax: To the appellant's counsel at the following address: Khushpal Taunk, Mmt Law Personal Service: 209 - 8556 120th Street Prepaid Regular Mail: Surrey, BC V3W 3N5 Courier: Fax: To the Minister's counsel at the following address: CANADA BORDER SERVICES AGENCY Personal Service: Immigration Appeals Prepaid Regular Mail: Suite 700, 300 West Georgia Street, Courier: Vancouver, BC V6B 6C8 Fax:

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Reasons and Decision – Motifs et décision SPONSORSHIP

GURMINDER SINGH BACHRA Appellant(s) Appelant(s) and et The Minister of Citizenship and Immigration Respondent Intimé(e) Le ministre de la Citoyenneté et de l'Immigration Date(s) and Place of 21 November 2007 Date(s) et lieu de Hearing Vancouver, BC l'audience Date of Decision 21 November 2007 (rendered orally) Date de la décision 7 January 2008 (written decision) Panel Renee Miller Tribunal Counsel for the Conseil(s) de Appellant(s) Khushpal Taunk l'appelant(e) / des Barrister & Solicitor appellant(e)(s) Counsel for the Minister Jennifer Brown Conseil du ministre

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Oral Reasons for Decision

- [1] On the basis of the Minister's consent, as well as the oral testimony that I heard today from the Gurminder Singh BACHRA (the "appellant") and Rajdeep Kaur BACHRA (the "applicant"), and all of the documents that were filed before this tribunal, in my view, the appellant has provided sufficient credible and reliable evidence to show that his marriage to Rajdeep Kaur BACHRA is genuine.
- [2] I find that the visa officer's decision was not valid. The appeal is allowed and your file will be returned to the visa office for further processing.

[Edited for clarity, spelling, grammar and syntax.]

NOTICE OF DECISION

After reviewing the information in this appeal, and the consent of both parties, the appeal is allowed. The officer's decision to refuse a permanent resident visa is set aside, and the officer must continue processing the application in accordance with the consent/joint recommendation of the parties.

| (signed) | "Renee Miller" | |
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| | Renee Miller | |
| | 7 January 2008 | |
| | Date (day/month/year) | |

Judicial review - Under section 72 of the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act, you may make an application to the Federal Court for judicial review of this decision, with leave of that Court. You may wish to get advice from counsel as soon as possible, since there are time limits for this application.

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