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Voluntary Departure

The departure of an alien from the United States without an order of removal. The departure may or may not have been preceded by a hearing before an immigration judge. An alien allowed to voluntarily depart concedes removability but does not have a bar to seeking admission at a port of entry at any time. Failure to depart within the time granted results in a fine and a ten-year bar to several forms of relief from deportation.

Lopez-Valenzuela v. County of Maricopa, No. 11-16487 archived on June 24, 2013

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