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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

LUCIA CORONA RIVERA,

No. 07-70347

Petitioner,

Agency No. A095-310-966

v.

MEMORANDUM*

ERIC H. HOLDER Jr., Attorney General,

Respondent.

On Petition for Review of an Order of the Board of Immigration Appeals

Submitted January 11, 2010**

Before: BEEZER, TROTT, and BYBEE, Circuit Judges.

Lucia Corona Rivera, a native and citizen of Mexico, petitions pro se for review of the Board of Immigration Appeals' order dismissing her appeal from an

^{*} This disposition is not appropriate for publication and is not precedent except as provided by 9th Cir. R. 36-3.

The panel unanimously finds this case suitable for decision without oral argument. See Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

immigration judge's order denying her application for cancellation of removal. We have jurisdiction pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1252. We deny the petition for review.

Corona Rivera waived any challenge to the agency's decision pretermitting her cancellation of removal application on physical presence and statutory eligibility grounds by failing to raise these issues in her opening brief. *See Martinez-Serrano v. INS*, 94 F.3d 1256, 1259-60 (9th Cir. 1996) (issues not specifically raised and argued in a party's opening brief are waived).

PETITION FOR REVIEW DENIED.