# MARTINE'S CHANCE WITH IMMIGRATION

**1985 AUGUST 31**
ARRIVE IN U.S. FROM DR CONGO AND ZAMBIA (4 YEARS OLD)

**2001 DECEMBER**
VISIT TO THE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

**2002 JANUARY**
IN REMOVAL (DEPORTATION) PROCEEDINGS

**2002 FEBRUARY**
ATTORNEY A AGREES TO REPRESENT ME

**2003 JANUARY 15**
1ST MASTER CALENDAR HEARING

**2003 AUGUST 8**
2ND MASTER CALENDAR HEARING

**2003 OCTOBER 10**
3RD MASTER CALENDAR HEARING

**2004 FEBRUARY 13**
4TH MASTER CALENDAR HEARING

**2004 JULY 23**
5TH MASTER CALENDAR HEARING

**2004 AUGUST 9**
1ST INDIVIDUAL TRIAL

**2005 MARCH 10**
2ND TRIAL

**2006 AUGUST 1**
BOARD OF IMMIGRATION APPEALS (BIA) FINDS ME ELIGIBLE FOR CANCELLATION OF REMOVAL

**2006 SEPTEMBER**
HIRED ATTORNEY B TO REPRESENT ME

**2006 NOVEMBER 15**
HEARING (ATTORNEYS A, C & D ARE FORCED TO REPRESENT ME

**2007 FEBRUARY 26**
HEARING (ATTORNEY B REPRESENTS ME)

**2007 MARCH 29**
JUDGE X OVERTURNS BIA'S DECISION AND SENDS IT BACK TO THE BIA FOR RECONSIDERATION

**2007 MAY 4**
BIA FINDS ME ELIGIBLE FOR CANCELLATION OF REMOVAL AND REMANDS IT BACK TO THE JUDGE "WITH NO FURTHER ACTION."
I AM GRANTED PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS (A GREEN CARD)

**2007 MAY 18**
SPEAK ON CAPITOL HILL ON BEHALF OF THE DREAM ACT

**2007 JULY 2**
I RECEIVE MY PERMANENT RESIDENT CARD IN THE MAIL

**2012 MAY 4**
I AM ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR U.S. CITIZENSHIP

**2012 AUGUST**
I AM SWORN IN AS A U.S. CITIZEN

- DEPORTATION PROCEEDINGS
- IMMIGRATION RELIEF
- LEGAL REPRESENTATION
- MISCELLANEOUS

Martine Kalaw ENTERPRISES