

Application for Temporary Protected Status

Department of Homeland Security

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

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Part 1. Type of Application (check or	U. S.	S. Mailing Address	
1.a. This is my initial (<i>first time</i>) applicati Temporary Protected Status (TPS). I previously granted TPS.		In Care Of Name	
1.b. This is my re-registration application previously granted TPS.	for TPS. I was 2.b.	and Name	
Are you also filing a request for employment	authorization?	Apt. Ste. Flr.	
2.a. Yes, I am requesting an Employment Document (EAD), and I am filing For		City or Town	
Application for Employment Authority with my Form I-821.	zation, together 2.e.		Code
2.b. No, I am not currently requesting empauthorization, but I am filing Form I-		address?	dress the same as your physical Yes No
for administrative purposes) together I-821.	with my Form If yo	ou answered "No" to Item N r physical address below.	fumber 2.g., please provide
Part 2. Information About You	U.S	S. Physical Address	
1.a. Family Name (Last Name)	3.a.	Street Number and Name	
1.b. Given Name (First Name)	3.b.	Apt. Ste. Flr.	
1.c. Middle Name	3.c.	City or Town	
	3.d.	State 3.e. ZIP	Code

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Par	t 2. Information About You (continued)	16.	Ethnicity (Select only one box)
	,		Hispanic or Latino
Oth	er Information		☐ Not Hispanic or Latino
4.	Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any) ▶ A-	17.	Race (Select all applicable boxes)
5.	USCIS ELIS Account Number (if any) •		
6.	U.S. Social Security Number (<i>if any</i>) ▶		☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
7.	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) ▶	18.	Height Feet Inches
8.	Gender Male Female	19.	Weight Pounds Pounds
9.	City/Town/Village of Birth	20.	Eye Color (Select only one box)
10.	Country of Birth		□ Black □ Blue □ Brown □ Gray □ Green □ Hazel □ Maroon □ Pink □ Unknown/Other
		21.	Hair Color (Select only one box)
11.12.	Country of Residence Country of Citizenship/Nationality (if any)		□ Bald (No hair) □ Black □ Blond □ Brown □ Gray □ Red □ Sandy □ White □ Unknown/Other
13.	Marital Status	U.S	S. Entry Information
	Married Widowed Single Divorced	22.	Date of last entry into the United States
Othe	r Names Used (if any, including maiden name)		(mm/dd/yyyy) ▶
	Family Name (Last Name) Given Name (First Name)	23.	Immigration status when you last entered the United States (e.g., visitor, student, entered without inspection (EWI))
14.c.	Middle Name	Place	e of last entry into the United States
Othe	r Dates of Birth Used (if any)		U.S. Port of Entry (if any)
	Date of Birth $(mm/dd/yyyy)$ \blacktriangleright Date of Birth $(mm/dd/yyyy)$ \blacktriangleright		. City or Town State

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Par	t 2. Information About You (continued)	30.	Dates for your proceedings (If your proceedings are ongoing, leave the "To" date blank)
25.b.	Arrival-Departure Record (Form I-94) (if any) Date authorized period of stay in the United States expired or will expire (as shown on Form I-94 or I-95)		From: (<i>mm</i> / <i>dd</i> / <i>yyyy</i>) ► To: (<i>mm</i> / <i>dd</i> / <i>yyyy</i>) ►
25.c.	(mm/dd/yyyy) ► Passport Number (if any)		rt 3. Information About Your Spouse and ildren (if any)
	Travel Document Number (if any) Country of Issuance for Passport or Travel Document		ide the following information about your spouse arried). USCIS ELIS Account Number (if any)
	Expiration Date for Passport or Travel Document (mm/dd/yyyy)	2. 3.a.	Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any) • A- Family Name (Last Name)
You	r Current Immigration Status	3.b.	·
26.	Current immigration status (e.g., visitor, student, visa overstay, EWI)	3.c.	Middle Name
	Are you now or were you ever in immigration proceedings?	<i>Ma</i> 4.a.	Street Number and Name
	a answered "Yes" to Item Number 27. , provide the ving information.		Apt. Ste. Flr. City or Town
Type	of proceedings (Select only one box):		
28.a.	Exclusion	4.d.	State 4.e. ZIP Code
28.b.	Removal/Deportation	4.f.	Province (if any)
28.c.	Rescission	4.g.	Postal Code (if any)
28.d.	I am no longer in immigration proceedings, but I was in Federal court proceedings regarding immigration issues.	4.h.	Country (if any)
29.	Location where your proceedings were held (or are currently being held)		

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	t 3. Information About Your Spouse and ddren (continued)	Child 2 9.a. USCIS ELIS Account Number (if any)
Oth	per Information About Spouse	9.b. Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any)
5.	Your Spouse's (mm/dd/yyyy) ► Date of Birth	► A-
6.	Date of Present (mm/dd/yyyy) ► Marriage	9.c. Family Name (Last Name)
7.	Place of Present Marriage	9.d. Given Name (First Name)
		9.e. Middle Name
Chi	ildren (if any)	9.f. Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) ▶
	ide the following information about each of your children	9.g. Street Number and Name
(if an		9.h. Apt. Ste. Flr.
	USCIS ELIS Account Number (if any)	9.i. City or Town
		9.j. State 9.k. ZIP Code
8.b.	Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any) ▶ A-	9.1. Province (if any)
8.c.	Family Name (Last Name)	9.m. Postal Code (<i>if any</i>)
8.d.	Given Name (First Name)	9.n. Country (if any)
8.e.	Middle Name	GI II I A
8.f.	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) ▶	Child 3 10.a. USCIS ELIS Account Number (if any)
8.g.	Street Number and Name	▶
8.h.	Apt. Ste. Flr.	10.b. Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (<i>if any</i>) ► A-
8.i.	City or Town	10.c. Family Name
8.j.	State 8.k. ZIP Code	(Last Name) 10.d. Given Name (First Name)
8.1.	Province (if any)	10.e. Middle Name
8.m.	Postal Code (if any)	10.f. Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) ▶
8.n.	Country (if any)	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,

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Part 3. Information About Your Spouse and Children (continued)	11.g. Street Number and Name
(canal 42 (communica)	11.h. Apt. Ste. Flr.
Child 3 (continued)	11.i. City or Town
10.g. Street Number and Name	11.j. State 11.k. ZIP Code
10.h. Apt.	11.l. Province (if any)
10.i. City or Town	11.m.Postal Code (if any)
10.j. State 10.k. ZIP Code	11.n. Country (if any)
10.1. Province (if any)	
10.m. Postal Code (<i>if any</i>)	Child 5
10.n. Country (if any)	12.a. USCIS ELIS Account Number (if any)
Child 4 11.a. USCIS ELIS Account Number (if any)	12.b. Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any) ► A- 12.c. Family Name (Last Name)
11.b. Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any) ► A-	12.d. Given Name (First Name)
11.c. Family Name (Last Name)	12.e. Middle Name 12.f. Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) ▶
11.d. Given Name (First Name)	12.g. Street Number and Name
11.e. Middle Name	12.h. Apt.
11.f. Date of Birth (<i>mm/dd/yyyy</i>) ▶	12.i. City or Town
	12.j. State 12.k. ZIP Code
	12.l. Province (if any)
	12.m. Postal Code (<i>if any</i>)
	12.n. Country (if any)

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Part 4. Eligibility Standards		If you were EVER arrested, provide the disposition (<i>outcome</i>) for all arrests. (For example, "case dismissed" from the		
Provide the following information:		appropriate authority.) For information about waivers concerning		
1.a.	I am a national of (or an alien having no nationality who last habitually resided in the country of):		grounds of inadmissibility, see the NOTE at the end of Part	
			e you EVER been convicted of:	
1.h.	I entered the United States on the following date, and	2.a.	Any felony committed in the United States?	
1.0.	have resided in the United States since that time.		Yes No	
	(mm/dd/yyyy) ▶	2.b.	Any misdemeanor(s) committed in the United States?	
1.c.	Have you EVER resided in any country(s) other than the		Yes No	
	one listed in Item Number 1.a.? Yes No	2.c.	Any particularly serious crime committed either in or	
If you	a answered "Yes" to Item Number 1.c. , and you resided in		outside the United States? Yes No	
more provi in the separ (if an	than one country prior to entering the United States, de information about the last country in which you resided a spaces below. For any additional countries, attach a ate sheet(s) of paper. Write your full name and A-Number y) at the top of each sheet; indicate the Page Number ,	3.a.	Have you EVER ordered, incited, assisted, or otherwise participated in the persecution of any person on account of race, religion, nationality, membership in a particular social group, or political opinion? Yes No	
(e.g.,	Number, and Item Number to which your answer refers Page 6 , Part 4. , Item Number 1.d.); and date and sign sheet.	3.b.	Have you EVER committed serious nonpolitical crimes outside of the United States prior to your arrival in the United States?	
1.d.	Name of another country in which you resided (if any)	•		
1.e.	Dates that you resided in the other country	3.c.	Have you EVER or are you NOW engaged in activities that could be reasonable grounds for concluding that you are a danger to the security of the United States?	
	From: (mm/dd/yyyy) ▶		Yes No	
	To: (<i>mm/dd/yyyy</i>) ▶		e you EVER been convicted of or have you EVER mitted acts which constitute the essential elements of:	
1.f.	Your immigration status in the other country (e.g., citizen, permanent resident, refugee, asylee, visitor, temporary resident)	4.a.	A crime (other than a purely political offense)? Yes No	
	,	4.b.	A violation of any law relating to a controlled substance	
	e eligible for TPS, you must be admissible as an igrant to the United States, with certain exceptions.		as defined in section 102 of the Controlled Substances Act? Yes No	
If any	of the questions beginning below and continuing through and of Part 4. apply to you, describe the circumstances and	4.c.	A conspiracy to violate any law relating to a controlled substance as defined in section 102 of the Controlled Substances Act?	
include a full explanation on a separate sheet(s) of paper. Write your full name and A-Number (<i>if any</i>) at the top of each sheet; indicate the Page Number , Part Number , and Item Number to which your answer refers, (e.g., Page 6 , Part 4. , Item Number 2.b.); and date and sign each sheet.		5.a.	Have you EVER been convicted of two or more criminal offenses (other than purely political offenses) for which you received sentences to confinement that, when combined, total 5 years or more? Yes No	

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Part 4. Eligibility Standards (continued)		7.a.	Have you EVER or are you NOW engaged in terrorist activities?
5.b. 5.c.	Have you EVER trafficked in or are you NOW trafficking in any controlled substance? Yes No Are you NOW or have you EVER knowingly assisted, abetted, conspired, or colluded with others in the unlawful trafficking of any controlled substance?	7.b.	Have you EVER or are you NOW engaged in or plan to engage in activities in the United States that would have potentially serious adverse foreign policy consequences for the United States? Yes No
5.d.	Yes No Are you the spouse or child of an alien who unlawfully trafficked in any controlled substance?	7.c.	Have you EVER been or are you NOW a member of the Communist or other totalitarian party, except when membership was involuntary? Yes No
5.e.	Yes No Are you the spouse or child of an alien who assisted, abetted, conspired, or colluded with others in the unlawful trafficking of any controlled substance? Yes No	7.d. 8.a.	Have you EVER participated in Nazi persecution or genocide? Yes No Have you EVER been arrested, cited, charged, indicted, fined, or imprisoned for breaking or violating any law or ordinance, excluding minor traffic violations? Yes No
5.f.	Within the previous 5 years, have you EVER obtained any financial or other benefit from the unlawful activity of your spouse (<i>including former spouses</i>) or parents, and you knew, or reasonably should have known, that the financial or other benefit was the product of such illicit activity? Yes No	8.b. 9.	Have you EVER been the beneficiary of a pardon, amnesty, rehabilitation decree, other act of clemency, or similar action? Yes No Have you EVER committed a serious criminal offense in
	e you EVER engaged, or do you plan to engage, solely, cipally, or incidentally, in any of the following: Any activity to violate any law of the United States relating to espionage or sabotage? Yes No	10.a.	the United States and asserted immunity from prosecution? Yes No Have you EVER , within the past 10 years, or are you NOW engaged in prostitution or procurement of prostitution? Yes No
6.b.	Any activity to violate or evade any law prohibiting the export from the United States of goods, technology, or sensitive information? Yes No	10.b.	Have you EVER , within the past 10 years (either directly or indirectly) procured or attempted to procure or import, prostitutes or persons for the purpose of prostitution? Yes No
6.c.	Any other unlawful activity in the United States? Yes No	10.c.	Have you EVER , within the past 10 years, received, in whole or in part, the proceeds of prostitution?
6.d.	Any activity in which a purpose is the opposition to, or the control or overthrow of, the Government of the United States by force, violence, or other unlawful means, including but not limited to, participating in such activities, giving support to others involved in such activities, or being a member or representative of a terrorist organization?	11. 12.a.	Yes No Have you EVER been or do you intend to be involved in any other commercial vice? Yes No Have you EVER been ordered removed, <i>and</i> been deported from the United States? Yes No

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Par	t 4. Eligibility Standards (conti	nued)	17.	Are you NOW subject to a final order section 274C (producing and/or using		on of
12.b.	Have you EVER voluntarily departed under an order of removal?	the United States Yes No		documentation to unlawfully satisfy a Immigration and Nationality Act)?	•	nt of the
12.c.	If you answered "Yes" to either Item 1 12.b. above, have you re-entered the U		18.	Do you NOW practice polygamy?	Yes	No
	unlawfully at any time after you were voluntarily departed?		19.	Are you NOW the guardian of, and ar accompanying, another alien who has inadmissible <i>and</i> who has been certified	been found	
12.d.	If you answered "Yes" to Item Number your prior order of removal been reinst			examiner to be helpless due to sicknes mental disability, or infancy?	s, physical Yes	or No
	Yes No	Do not know	20.	Have you EVER detained, retained, or		
12.e.	Have you EVER failed to attend or reat any immigration proceedings to determine admissibility or deportability?			custody of a child having a lawful clai citizenship, outside the United States, granted custody?		S. citizen
12.f.	Have you EVER , by fraud or willfully a material fact, sought to obtain a visa documentation, admission to the Unite other immigration benefit?	or other		e you EVER ordered, incited, called for ted, helped with, or otherwise participat wing:		
13.	Have you EVER assisted any other pe	rson to enter the	21.a.	Acts involving torture or genocide?	Yes	No
	United States in violation of the law?	Yes No	21.b.	Killing any person?	Yes	No
14.a.	Do you NOW have a communicable d health significance?	isease of public Yes No	21.c.	Intentionally and severely injuring any	person? Yes	No
14.b. Do you NOW have or have you EVER had a physical or mental disorder and behavior (or a history of behavior			21.d. Engaging in any kind of sexual contact or relations with any person who was being forced or threatened?			
	that is likely to recur) associated with the posed or may pose a threat to the p	the disorder which		any person who was semig forced of a	Yes	No
	welfare of yourself or others?	Yes No	21.e.	Limiting or denying any person's abili religious beliefs?	_	
14.c.	Are you NOW or have you EVER bee	en a drug abuser or			∐ Yes	☐ No
	drug addict?	Yes No		you EVER:		
15.16.	Have you EVER entered the United Solution Did the former Immigration and Natur	Yes No	22.a.	Served in, been a member of, assisted in any military unit, paramilitary unit, defense unit, vigilante unit, rebel grou- militia, or insurgent organization?	police unit p, guerrilla	t, self-
10.	(INS) EVER impose, or has DHS EV	ER imposed, civil			Yes	∐ No
monetary penalties on you for producing or using false documentation to obtain an immigration benefit?			22.b.	Served or worked in any prison, jail, p detention facility, labor camp, or any or		
		Yes No		involved detaining persons?	Yes	No

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Par	t 4. Eligibility Standards (continued)	29.d. Are you NOW the spouse or child of, or are you yourself, an alien who knowingly aided, abetted, assisted,		
23.	Have you EVER been a member of, assisted in, or participated in any group, unit, or organization of any kind in which you or other persons used any type of	conspired, or colluded with a human trafficker?		
	weapon against any person or threatened to do so? Yes No	29.e. Within the previous 5 years, have you EVER obtained any financial or other benefit from the human trafficking activity of your spouse (<i>including former spouses</i>) or		
24.	Have you EVER assisted with or participated in selling or providing weapons to any person who to your knowledge used them against another person, or in transporting weapons to any person who to your knowledge used them	parents, and knew, or reasonably should have known, that the financial or other benefit was the product of such illicit activity? Yes No		
	against another person? Yes No	30.a. Are you NOW or have you EVER engaged in money laundering as described in section 1956 or 1957 of Title		
25.	Have you EVER received any type of military, paramilitary, or weapons training? Yes No	18, United States Code? Yes No		
26.	Have you EVER unlawfully voted in a United States Federal, state, or local election? Yes No	30.b. Are you NOW or have you EVER been a knowing aider, abettor, assister, conspirator, or colluder with others in money laundering? Yes No		
27.	Have you EVER claimed to be a United States citizen (in writing or in any other way)? Yes No	31. Have you EVER been responsible for or directly carried out particularly severe violations of religious freedom, as defined in section 3 of the International Religious Freedon		
28.a.	Have you EVER recruited, enlisted, conscripted, or used any person under age 15 to serve in or help an armed force or group? Yes No	Act of 1998 (22 U.S.C. section 6402) while serving as a foreign government official? Yes No Yes No		
28.b.	Have you EVER used any person under age 15 to take part in hostilities or to help or provide services to people in combat?	Appeals EVER determined that you filed a frivolous asylum application in the past?		
29.a.	Have you EVER committed or conspired to commit human trafficking offenses, as defined in the section 103 of the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000, in the United States or outside the United States? YesNo	NOTE ABOUT WAIVERS: A TPS applicant must be admissible under the applicable grounds in section 212 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA). USCIS may grant a discretionary waiver for some, but not all, of the applicable inadmissibility grounds based on humanitarian, family unity, or public interest reasons.		
29.b.	Have you EVER knowingly aided, abetted, assisted, conspired, or colluded with a human trafficker? Yes No	If you answered "Yes" to certain Item Numbers in Part 4. , you may be eligible for a waiver of some of the grounds of inadmissibility. Please see the General Requirements section of Form I-821 instructions for further information.		
29.c.	Are you NOW the spouse or child of an alien who committed or conspired to commit human trafficking offenses? Yes No	Form I-601, Application for Waiver of Grounds of Inadmissibility, is the application used to request a waiver. <i>Please read the special instructions related to TPS applicants on Form I-601</i> . The form is available at local USCIS offices, on our Web site at www.uscis.gov/I-601 , or by calling the USCIS toll-free forms line at 1-800-870-3676. For TDD (deaf or hard of hearing) call: 1-800-767-1833		

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	5. Applicant's Mobile Telephone Number
Part 5. Statement, Certification, Signature, and Contact Information of the Applicant	()
NOTE: Select the box for either Item Number 1.a. or 1.b. If applicable, select the box for Item Number 2.	6. Applicant's E-mail Address
1.a.	Part 6. Contact Information, Certification, and Signature of the Interpreter
every question and instruction on this form, as well as my answer to each question, in	Interpreter's Full Name
a language in which I am fluent. I understand each	Provide the following information concerning the interpreter: 1.a. Interpreter's Family Name (<i>Last Name</i>)
and every question and instruction on this form as	
translated to me by my interpreter, and have provided true and correct responses in the language indicated above.	1.b. Interpreter's Given Name (<i>First Name</i>)
2. I have requested the services of and consented to	2. Interpreter's Business or Organization Name (if any)
who is is not in an attorney or accredited representative, preparing this form for me.	Interpreter's Mailing Address
Applicant Certification	3.a. Street Number and Name
I certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, that the foregoing is true and correct. Copies	3.b. Apt.
of documents submitted are exact photocopies of unaltered original documents, and I understand that I may be required to	3.c. City or Town
submit original documents to U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) at a later date. Furthermore, I authorize the	3.d. State 3.e. ZIP Code
release of any information from my records that USCIS may need to determine my eligibility for the benefit that I seek.	3.f. Province (if any)
I furthermore authorize release of information contained in this	3.g. Postal Code (<i>if any</i>)
form, supporting documents, and my USCIS records to other entities and persons where necessary for the administration of U.S. immigration laws.	3.h. Country (if any)
3.a. Applicant's Signature	
→	Interpreter's Contact Information
3.b. Date of Signature (<i>mm/dd/yyyy</i>) ▶	4. Interpreter's Daytime Telephone Number
4. Applicant's Daytime Telephone Number (5. Interpreter's E-mail Address

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Inte	erpreter Certification	3.f.	Province (if any)
I cer	tify that:	2 a	Postal Code (if any)
	fluent in English and which	3.g.	· · L
	e same language provided in Part 5., Item Number 1.b.;	3.h.	Country (if any)
I hay	re read to this applicant each and every question and		
instr	action on this form, as well as the answer to each question, the language provided in Part 5,. Item Number 1.b. ; and	Pre	parer's Contact Information
The	applicant has informed me that he or she understands each	4.	Preparer's Daytime Telephone Number
	every instruction and question on the form, as well as the		(
answ	er to each question.	5.	Preparer's Fax Number () -
6.a.	Interpreter's Signature	6.	Preparer's E-mail Address
6.b.	Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy) ▶	7.a.	I am not an attorney or accredited representative but have prepared this form on behalf of the applicant and with the applicant's consent.
Sig Ap	rt 7. Contact Information, Declaration, and nature of the Person Preparing this plication, If Other than the Applicant parer's Full Name	7.b.	☐ I am an attorney or accredited representative and my representation of the applicant in this case (<i>choose one</i>) extends ☐ does not extend ☐ beyond the preparation of this form.
		Pro	eparer's Declaration
	ide the following information concerning the preparer:	By n	ny signature, I certify, swear, or affirm, under penalty of
1.a.	Preparer's Family Name (Last Name)		ary, that I prepared this form on behalf of, at the request of,
1.b.	Preparer's Given Name (First Name)	form Afte	with the express consent of the applicant. I completed the based only on responses the applicant provided to me. I completing the form, I reviewed it and all of the icant's responses with the applicant, who agreed with each
2.	Preparer's Business or Organization Name	whei	every answer provided for each question on the form and, a required, supplied additional information to respond to a tion on the form.
-		8.a.	Preparer's Signature
Pre	parer's Mailing Address		
3.a.	Street Number and Name	8.b.	Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy) ▶
3.b.	Apt. Ste. Flr.		Zate of Signature (ata)
3.c.	City or Town		
3.d.	State 3.e. ZIP Code		

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