



**U.S. Customs and  
Border Protection**

MEMORANDUM FOR: Directors, Field Operations  
Director, Preclearance Operations  
Office of Field Operations

Director, Field Operations Academy  
Director, Advance Training Center  
Office of Training and Development (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

FROM: Acting Executive Director  
Admissibility and Passenger Programs

SUBJECT: Processing Form I-862 Notice to Appear for Unaccompanied Alien  
Children (UAC)

Recently, U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) has experienced a significant surge in the number of Unaccompanied Alien Children (UAC) arriving at both ports of entry and between the ports. This significant increase has created unprecedented demands upon the U.S. Government to process and to maintain custody of UAC. The primary area of impact has been the (b) (7)(E) (b) (7)(E); however, the effects of the surge of UAC are being felt at all ports of entry along the southern border.

Consequently, in an effort to streamline processing in the face of the extraordinary situation along the southwest border, (b) (7)(E)

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Please ensure that this memorandum is disseminated to all ports of entry within your jurisdiction. Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Director, Enforcement Programs Division at (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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