



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

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Directors, Field Operations  
Office of Field Operations

Director, Preclearance  
Operations

FROM: Acting Executive Directive  
Admissibility and Passenger **(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)**

Subject: Revised U.S. Employment Authorization Document

On May 10, 2010, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) began issuance of a revised Form I-766, Employment Authorization Document (EAD). The card bears a revision date of February 2009. The previous version of the EAD shall remain valid until expiration.

Form I-766 is issued to lawful temporary residents of the United States or certain nonimmigrants as evidence of their authorization to accept employment. The revised Form I-766 is only valid for travel when so annotated on the front, in conjunction with category "A02" or "C20," issued to qualified individuals eligible for advance parole under certain legalization provisions. Travelers with revised Form I-766 that states "Not Valid For Reentry to U.S." should present other appropriate travel documents when seeking admission, and be processed as any other applicant for admission.

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If you have any questions or require any additional information, please have a member of your staff contact (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Director, Fraudulent Document Analysis Unit at (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Attachments

Weekly Muster

Week of Muster: Upon Receipt

Topic: Revised U.S. Employment Authorization Document

HQ POC/Office: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Fraudulent Document Analysis Unit

Message: Advise CBP Officers of the Revised Form I-766

- On May 10, 2010, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (CIS) began issuance of the revised version of the Employment Authorization Document (Form I-766).
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