

APPX O - ADJOURNMENT CODES

EOIR primarily uses adjournment, call-up, and case identification codes for tracking case information in the Case Access System for EOIR (CASE) (or any successor case management system). The immigration judge is responsible for making the reason(s) for any adjournment or call-up date clear on the record. Court administrators and court staff are responsible for accurately entering each applicable adjournment, call-up, or case identification code into CASE. The assistant chief immigration judge for each immigration court is responsible for ensuring that codes are used appropriately and entered accurately into CASE.

EOIR continually reviews its adjournment, call-up, and case identification codes and updates or modifies those codes as circumstances warrant. The tables below set forth codes used to track the case hearing process.

Adjournment Codes with Definitions

<u>Code</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Definition</u>
*01	Respondent to Seek Representation	Adjourned for respondent to seek representation.
1A	Case Transferred From Non-Detained to Detained Docket	Adjourned because the case was transferred to a detained docket.
1B	Case Transferred From Detained to Non-Detained Docket	Adjourned because the case was transferred to a non-detained docket.
*02	Preparation – Respondent/Attorney/Representative	Adjourned to allow respondent/attorney/representative time to prepare the case.
03	Preparation - DHS	Adjourned to allow DHS time for case preparation or to cover other DHS- requested continuances not included on this list.
3A	IJ Detail	Adjourned because the IJ was unavailable due to volunteer detail.
04	DHS or DHS Administrative File Unavailable for Hearing	Adjourned because DHS does not have the A-File available.
4A	Technical Malfunction (not video)	Adjourned due to non-video technical malfunction.
4B	Interpreter Must Leave	Adjourned due to interpreter departure from hearing.

4C	Interpreter Appeared but Wrong Language or Dialect	(EOIR-related) Adjourned because the wrong interpreter appeared due to court error.
4D	Interpreter Appeared but Wrong Language or Dialect	(Respondent-related) Adjourned because the wrong interpreter appeared after the respondent's representative provided the wrong language or dialect to the court.
4E	ROP Missing	Adjourned because the EOIR ROP is not available for the hearing.
4F	Telephonic Interpreter Unavailable	Adjourned because the immigration judge was unable to obtain an unscheduled telephonic interpreter
5A	Hearing Advanced by Motion	Adjourned because an earlier hearing has been scheduled following a motion.
*5B	Late Filed Evidence (Respondent)	Adjourned because the court accepted late- filed evidence from the respondent and needs additional time for file review.
5C	Late Filed Evidence (DHS)	Adjourned because the court accepted late-filed evidence from the government and needs additional time for file review.
*7A	DHS Application Process - Respondent Initiated	Adjourned to allow the adjudication of an application pending with DHS.
*8A	IJ Completion Prior to Hearing	Adjourned because IJ completed case prior to the scheduled hearing.
*8B	IJ Completion at Hearing	Case was completed at the hearing.
09	Respondent in Custody (DHS/HHS/IHP) Not Presented	Adjourned because the custodian did not bring the respondent to a scheduled hearing.
9A	Docket Management (Postpone Hearing)	Hearing postponed by EOIR for docket management reasons.
9B	Docket Management (Advance	Hearing advanced by EOIR for

	Hearing)	docket management reasons.
10	Notice Sent/Served Incorrectly	Attorney and/or respondent does not appear at the scheduled hearing due to a lack of notice.
*11	Other No-Show by Respondent/Respondent's Attorney or Rep.	Adjourned because a respondent and/or his or her attorney/representative does not appear at a scheduled hearing for any reason except those considered by adjournment codes 09 and 10.
*12	Other Respondent/Respondent's Attorney/Representative Request	Adjourned at the request of a respondent/respondent's attorney/representative for a reason that is not covered in this PM.
13	Insufficient Time to Complete Hearing	Adjourned because the case could not be completed in the time allotted.
17	MC to IC - Merits Hearing	Adjourned from a Master Calendar to an Individual Calendar for a merits hearing, including a hearing on any contested charges.
*21	Supplement Asylum Application	Adjourned to file additional attachments or updates to a previously filed Form I-589.
25	To Allow for Scheduling of Priority Case	Adjourned to allow for space to set a time- sensitive case.
*26	Respondent Request for an In-Person Hearing	Telephonic/televideo hearing adjourned due to a request by respondent for an in-person hearing.
27	DHS Request for an In-Person Hearing	Telephonic/televideo hearing adjourned due to a request by DHS for an in- person hearing.
28	IJ Determined an In-Person Hearing is Necessary	Adjourned because IJ determined that an in- person hearing is necessary.
*30	Consolidation with Family Members	Adjourned to allow immigration court to consolidate a family under

a lead A-number.

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| 31 | RC to SC Merits Hearing | Adjourned from a Reasonable Cause to a Special Circumstances Merits Hearing in a continued detention review case. Occurs after a final decision by the IJ or the BIA has determined that DHS met the burden to show reasonable cause to proceed with a merits hearing. |
| 32 | Interpreter Not Ordered | Adjourned because the case requires an interpreter but none was ordered. |
| 33 | Interpreter Ordered, but FTA | Case adjourned because the ordered interpreter failed to appear. |
| 34 | IJ Leave | Adjourned because the presiding IJ is on leave and no other IJ was available to hear the case. |
| *36 | Respondent Delayed
Records/Fingerprint Check | Adjourned to allow respondent time to complete the required paperwork for a biometrics check or an overseas investigation. |
| 37 | DHS Action | Adjourned to allow DHS time to complete investigations, including biometrics/fingerprint checks, and forensic analysis. |
| *38 | Illness of Respondent/Atty
Rep/Witness | Adjourned due to severe and legitimate illness of respondent, attorney or representative, or respondent's witness. |
| *42 | Respondent Requested Forensic
Analysis | Adjourned by request of respondent for forensic analysis. |
| 44 | Cooperating Witness/Law
Enforcement | Adjourned because respondent is a cooperating witness or law enforcement has an interest in the respondent. |
| *45 | Joint Request of Both Parties | Adjourned at the request of respondent/attorney/representative and government representative. |

46	Video Malfunction	Adjourned due to malfunction of video equipment.
47	New Charge Filed by DHS	Adjourned because of newly-filed charge by DHS.
48	Interpreter Appeared but Disqualified	Adjourned because contract interpreter appeared but disqualified by IJ.
50	Quarantine - Detained Cases	Adjourned because of respondent quarantine for illness outbreak in detention facility.
*52	Jurisdiction Rests with the BIA	Adjourned due to respondent filing certain appeals or motions causing jurisdiction to shift from the court to the BIA.
*54	Respondent Claim to U.S. Citizenship	Adjourned because respondent claims to be a U.S. citizen.
59	Court Closure/Postponement	Adjourned due to unscheduled court closure (weather, safety, environmental factors, a federal government shutdown) or docket postponement.
60	EOIR Forensic Competency Evaluation	Adjourned to allow a forensic competency evaluation to be conducted.
61	Appointment of Qualified Representative	Adjourned to allow for the appointment of a qualified representative for the respondent.
62	Judicial Competency Inquiry	Adjourned and set for a judicial competency inquiry at a subsequent hearing.
63	Non-Franco Competency Inquiry	For non- <i>Franco</i> cases, adjourned and set for competency inquiry at a subsequent hearing.
64	IJ Reassignment	Adjourned because the IJ was reassigned due to recusal, transfer of case, separation from service, etc.

Adjourned for public health reasons.