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Policy Alert

SUBJECT: Use of Form G-325A

Purpose

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) is updating policy guidance in the [USCIS Policy Manual](#) to remove references to Biographic Information (Form G-325A).

Background

USCIS previously required those seeking certain immigration benefits to file Form G-325 with their application or petition. USCIS has now incorporated all versions of Form G-325 into USCIS forms that separately required them. Form G-325A is now used only for deferred action requests for certain enlistees and designated family members of certain military personnel, veterans, and enlistees.¹ Accordingly, USCIS renamed Form G-325A, “Biographic Information (for Deferred Action)”².

The updated guidance, in Parts A, F, L, M, and O of Volume 7 of the Policy Manual, removes all Form G-325 references.³ The guidance contained in the Policy Manual is controlling and supersedes any related prior USCIS guidance.

Policy Highlights

- Form G-325A, now titled Biographic Information (for Deferred Action), should only be used to seek deferred action for certain enlistees and designated family members of certain military personnel, veterans, and enlistees.

Citation

Volume 7: Adjustment of Status [[7 USCIS-PM](#)].

¹ See [Discretionary Options for Designated Spouses, Parents, and Sons and Daughters of Certain Military Personnel, Veterans, and Enlistees](#), PM-602-0114 (issued November 23, 2016). See [AFM 21.1\(c\), Special Parole and Deferred Action Considerations](#).

² See www.uscis.gov/g-325a.

³ USCIS is also removing or updating G-325 references in the Adjudicator’s Field Manual (AFM), as needed.