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SUBJECT: Canadian Landed Immigrants and Executive Order "Protecting the Nation from Foreign Terrorist Entry into the United States"

Effective immediately, Canadian Landed Immigrants that are citizens of Iran, Iraq, Libya, Somalia, Sudan, Syria and Yemen with a valid U.S. Visa may be considered for an exemption of the 212(f) bar under Section 3(g) of the President's Executive Order if and only if the person satisfies the following conditions:

1. Proof to the satisfaction of the inspection Officer of person's Landed Immigrant Status in Canada;
2. Possession of a valid U.S. visa;
3. Travel that originates in Canada;
4. From only a pre-clearance airport; or
5. Applying for admission at a land border port of entry;
6. And the applicant is otherwise admissible.

The admission of such individuals must be in the national interest of the United States. Prior to any such admission, each individual must be subjected to a thorough examination by an immigration officer, to include CBP conduct of: (b) (7)(E)

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and secondary examination and interview of the traveler focused on (b) (7)(E) (b) (7)(E) protocols. Each exemption must be considered on a case by case basis with waiver submitted to Commissioner of CBP as previously outlined in the attached email.

Please ensure that this memorandum is disseminated to all ports of entry within your jurisdiction. If 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), or send inquiries to (b) (7)(E)

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