

## APPENDIX E

### Forms

This appendix contains a list of frequently requested immigration forms and the best sources for obtaining copies of those forms.

*On-line copies of forms.* Many forms can be downloaded or printed from the website of the agency responsible for that form. For example, forms beginning with "EOIR-" can be found at [www.usdoj.gov/eoir](http://www.usdoj.gov/eoir). Many forms beginning with "I-" can be found at [www.immigration.gov](http://www.immigration.gov).

*Paper copies of forms.* If an immigration form is not available on-line, the best source for obtaining one is the agency that is responsible for that form. The table below identifies those agencies. (Local offices often provide forms on a walk-in basis.) Other sources for forms include voluntary agencies (VOLAGs), public service organizations, law offices, and certain Government Printing Office Bookstores. See 8 C.F.R. § 299.2, 299.3.

*Reproducing forms.* Forms may be photocopied, computer-generated, or downloaded, but they must comply with the requirements for that form. See Chapter 12.2 (Obtaining Blank Forms).

#### Abbreviations

AAO	=	Administrative Appeals Office, DHS
CIS	=	Citizenship and Immigration Services, DHS
BIA	=	Board of Immigration Appeals
DHS	=	Department of Homeland Security
EOIR	=	Executive Office for Immigration Review
IC	=	Immigration Court
IJ	=	Immigration Judge
OGC	=	Office of General Counsel, EOIR

PURPOSE	FORM	NAME	GET FROM
accredited representative application	Form EOIR-31	Request for Recognition as a Nonprofit Religious, Charitable, Social Service, or Similar Organization Established in the United States	BIA
adjustment of status	Form I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status	CIS
appeal of attorney discipline decision	Form EOIR-45	Notice of Appeal to the Board of Immigration Appeals of Decision of Adjudicating Official in Practitioner Discipline Case	BIA
appeal of IJ decision	Form EOIR-26	Notice of Appeal from a Decision of an Immigration Judge	IC BIA
appeal of DHS decision (AAO jurisdiction)	Form I-290B	Notice of Appeal to the Administrative Appeals Unit (AAU)	CIS
appeal of INS decision (BIA jurisdiction)	Form EOIR-29	Notice of Appeal to the Board of Immigration Appeals from a Decision of an INS Officer	CIS
appearance as representative (before the BIA)	Form EOIR-27	Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney or Representative before the Board of Immigration Appeals	IC BIA
appearance as representative (before an IJ)	Form EOIR-28	Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney or Representative before the Immigration Court	IC
asylum	Form I-589	Application for Asylum and for Withholding of Removal	IC CIS
attorney / representative complaint form	Form EOIR-44	Immigration Practitioner Complaint Form	IC BIA OGC

PURPOSE	FORM	NAME	GET FROM
attorney / representative complaint appeal form	Form EOIR-45	Notice of Appeal to the Board of Immigration Appeals of Decision of Adjudicating Official in Practitioner Disciplinary Case	IC BIA OGC
cancellation of removal (non-permanent residents)	Form EOIR-42B	Application for Cancellation of Removal and Adjustment of Status for Certain Nonpermanent Residents	IC CIS
cancellation of removal (permanent residents)	Form EOIR-42A	Application for Cancellation of Removal for Certain Permanent Residents	IC CIS
change of address (cases pending before BIA)	Form EOIR-33 / BIA	Alien's Change of Address Form / Board of Immigration Appeals	IC BIA
change of address (cases pending before an IJ)	Form EOIR-33 / IC	Alien's Change of Address Form / Immigration Court	IC
fee waiver (appeals or motions)	Form EOIR-26A	Fee Waiver Request	IC BIA
motion to reopen or any other kind of motion	none	<i>There is no official form for motions filed before an IJ or the BIA. Do <u>not</u> use the Notice of Appeal (Form EOIR-26) for motions.</i>	n/a
suspension of deportation	Form EOIR-40	Application for Suspension of Deportation	IC
visa petition (employment-based)	Form I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker	CIS
visa petition (family-based)	Form I-130	Petition for Alien Relative	CIS

