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U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

USCIS Update

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USCIS HOUSTON OFFICES REMAIN CLOSED DUE TO HURRICANE IKE

Two Application Support Centers reopen

DALLAS—U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) announced today that four of its offices in the Houston area will remain closed for business until further notice.

The Houston district office, the LIFE Act Building, the Southeast Application Support Center, and the agency's Asylum Office remain closed; however, the Northwest and Southwest Application Support Centers (ASCs) are now open for business.

Customers with naturalization and adjustment of status appointments will automatically be rescheduled. Customers with INFOPASS appointments will need to reschedule. Visit the Web site at <u>http://infopass.uscis.gov/</u> for instructions on how to reschedule.

For general information on other potential office openings, check our Web site (<u>www.uscis.gov</u>) frequently for updates. Customers are also encouraged to call the National Customer Service Center at (800) 375-5283.

USCIS offices in Houston are located at the following locations:

- District Office (126 Northpoint) remains closed
- LIFE Act Building 16504 Central Green Boulevard remains closed
- Asylum Office (16630 Imperial Valley) remains notice
- Application Support Centers:
 - Northwest (10555 Northwest Freeway, #150) reopened for business
 - Southeast (8505 Gulf Freeway) **remains closed**
 - Southwest (7086 Bissonnet) *reopened for business*

NOTE: The naturalization ceremony scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 24, 2008 at the M.O. Campbell Center has been cancelled. Applicants will automatically be rescheduled.

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