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NOTICE

Updated USCIS Form I-765 for Employment Authorization Applications

The Office of Foreign Missions (OFM) informs missions that the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) has released an updated edition of form I-765, “Application for Employment Authorization,” making the 04/01/2024 form null and void as of Monday, October 28, 2024. Please note that OFM will stop accepting the 04/01/2024 edition on November 26, 2024.

Missions are advised to use the updated edition for Dependent Work Authorization applications, as soon as possible. This form can be found on the USCIS website at <https://www.uscis.gov/i-765>.

For more detailed information regarding OFM’s Dependent Work Authorization program, missions may refer to the Department’s circular note No. 22-506, dated March 16, 2022. Detailed guidance regarding Dependent Work Authorization applications is available online on OFM’s website at: <https://www.state.gov/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/EAD-Applications-Guide-for-Missions.pdf>.

Missions may direct questions concerning Dependent Work Authorizations to OFM at OFM-FMS@state.gov.