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| Receipt Number<br>ZHN19 [REDACTED]                               |                | Case Type<br>I589 - APPLICATION FOR ASYLUM AND FOR WITHHOLDING OF REMOVAL |  |
| Received Date<br>01/02/2019                                      | Priority Date  | Applicant A20 [REDACTED]  |  |
| Notice Date<br>02/20/2019  | Page<br>1 of 3 |   |  |
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We have mailed an official notice about this case (and any relevant documentation) according to the mailing preferences you chose on Form G-28, Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney or Accredited Representative. This is a courtesy copy, not the official notice.

**What the Official Notice Said**

**Asylum Approval**

**Applicants:**

A20 [REDACTED]

As of 02/19/2019, you have been granted asylum in the United States pursuant to section 208 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA). Your derivative family member(s) listed above - who are present in the United States, who were included in your asylum application, and for whom you have established a qualifying relationship - are granted derivative asylum. Enclosed with this letter you will find a completed Form I-94, *Arrival-Departure Record*, for you and each of your derivative family members listed above. Please retain this document.

Asylum is authorized for an indefinite period, but asylum status does not give you the right to remain permanently in the United States. Asylum status may be terminated pursuant to section 208(c)(2) of the INA if you no longer have a well-founded fear of persecution because of a fundamental change in circumstances, you have obtained protection from another country, or you have committed certain crimes or engaged in other activity that makes you ineligible to retain asylum status in the United States.

Now that you are an asylee, you may apply for certain benefits listed below. You are responsible for complying with applicable laws and regulations explained in this letter. In addition to your Form I-94, *Arrival-Departure Record*, we recommend that you retain the original of this letter as proof of your status and that you submit copies of this letter when applying for any of the benefits or services listed below.

You may obtain any of the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) forms mentioned in this letter on the USCIS website at [www.uscis.gov](http://www.uscis.gov) through the National Customer Service Center at 1-800-375-5283, or at a local USCIS office.

**Benefits**

**I. Employment Authorization**

You are authorized to work in the United States for as long as you remain in asylum status. Your derivative family member(s) listed above are also authorized to work in the United States, so long as they retain derivative asylum status. You are authorized to work in the United States whether or not you have an Employment Authorization Document (EAD). To demonstrate employment authorization to employers, you must show certain documentation such as an unrestricted Social Security card, a state-issued driver's license, or an unexpired EAD issued by USCIS. For a list of all documents that employers may accept as proof of employment authorization, consult the USCIS Form I-9, *Employment Eligibility Verification*, on the USCIS website at <http://www.uscis.gov/i-9-central>. Many employers also use E-Verify to electronically check your employment eligibility. You can learn your E-Verify rights and responsibilities by visiting <http://www.uscis.gov/e-verify>.

USCIS will mail to the last address you provided to USCIS a secure Form I-766, *Employment Authorization Document (EAD)*, which will be valid for two years. USCIS will also mail EADs for each of your derivative family members listed above who previously submitted their biometrics (e.g., fingerprints).

Please see the additional information on the back. You will be notified separately about any other cases you filed.

[REDACTED] Asylum Office  
U. S. CITIZENSHIP & IMMIGRATION SVC

USCIS Contact Center: [www.uscis.gov/contactcenter](http://www.uscis.gov/contactcenter)

