

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

I-797B | NOTICE OF ACTION

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES

Receipt Number WAC22 [REDACTED] 4		Case Type I129 - PETITION FOR A NONIMMIGRANT WORKER
Received Date 10/29/2021	Priority Date	Petitioner [REDACTED]
Notice Date 01/24/2022	Page 1 of 2	Beneficiary A [REDACTED]

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Notice Type: Approval Notice
Class: H1B
Valid from 01/24/2022 to 10/31/2024
Consulate: [REDACTED]

The above petition has been approved for the classification requested. It has been determined that the named worker(s) are not eligible for the requested change of status. You will receive a separate notice explaining the reasons for this determination.

Even though the named worker(s) are ineligible for a change of status, they may depart the United States and apply for the proper visa at a consulate abroad. Then they may apply at a Port of Entry to reenter the U.S. based on that new visa. The petitioner should keep the upper portion of this notice and forward the lower portion to the worker(s) for presentation at the U.S. Consulate.

To speed this process, we have sent notification of the approval of the classification to the consulate listed above. If you have any questions about visa issuance, please contact the consulate directly.

If a visa is issued, upon admission in this classification the worker(s) will be authorized to be employed by the petitioner for the authorized period pursuant to the terms and conditions of the petition. When seeking admission to the United States, the following classifications may be eligible for a grace period of up to 10 days before, and up to 10 days after the petition validity period: CW-1, E-1, E-2, E-3, H-1B, H-2B, H-3, L-1A, L-1B, O-1, O-2, P-1, P-2, P-3, TN-1, and TN-2. H-2A nonimmigrants may be eligible for a grace period of up to one week before and 30 days after the petition validity period. If provided at admission, this grace period will be annotated on the beneficiary's I-94 by Customs and Border Protection (CBP). The grace period is a period of authorized stay but does not provide the beneficiary authorization to work beyond the petition validity period. The petitioner should keep the upper portion of this notice and a copy of the Form I-94, Departure Record, for each worker, to show that the employment or training of each of the workers included in the petition is authorized.

If the worker(s) will apply for a visa at a consulate other than the one listed above, the petitioner should file Form I-824, Application for Action on an Approved Application or Petition, to request us to notify the new consulate.

Please read the back of this form carefully for more information. If you have questions about tax withholding, please contact the Internal Revenue Service. Changes in employment or training may require you to file a new Form I-129 petition.

The approval of this visa petition does not in itself grant any immigration status and does not guarantee that the alien beneficiary will subsequently be found to be eligible for a visa, for admission to the United States, or for an extension, change, or adjustment of status.

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

USCIS encourages you to sign up for a USCIS online account. To learn more about creating an account and the benefits, go to <https://www.uscis.gov/file-online>.

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Please tear off portion below and forward it to the alien worker.

The alien may use this portion when applying for a visa at an American consulate abroad, or if no visa is required, when applying for admission to the U.S.

Receipt#: WAC22 [REDACTED] 4	Case Type: I129
Notice Date: January 24, 2022	Petitioner: [REDACTED]
Petitioner Validity Dates: Valid from 01/24/2022 to 10/31/2024	Number of Workers: 1
Name: [REDACTED]	DOB: [REDACTED] COB: [REDACTED]
Class: H1B	Consulate/POE: [REDACTED] OCC