LOCATION	CURRENT VERSION	PROPOSED VERSION
Page 1, Penalties	If you knowingly and willfully falsify or conceal a material fact or submit a false document with this form, we may deny your immigration benefit. In addition, you will face severe penalties provided by law and may be subject to criminal prosecution.	If you knowingly or willfully misrepresent or omit a material fact or submit a false document with this form, we may deny your immigration benefit. In addition, you may face severe penalties provided by law, including criminal prosecution.
Page 1, Privacy Act Notice	We ask for the information on this form, and associated evidence, to determine if you have established eligibility for the immigration benefit for which you are filing. Our legal right to ask for this information can be found in the Immigration and Nationality Act, as amended. We may provide this information to other government agencies. Failure to provide this information, and any requested evidence, may delay a final decision or result in denial of your immigration benefit.	We ask for the information on this form and associated evidence, to determine if you are eligible for the immigration benefit you seek. Failure to provide requested information and/or evidence, may delay a final decision or result in denial of your immigration benefit. We may provide this information to other government agencies.
Page 1, Instructions	All applicants for refugee status must establish that they are admissible.	All applicants for refugee status must establish that they are admissible. Check the appropriate box in response to each question asked below. If your answer to a question is "Yes," provide an explanation on a separate sheet of paper. Answering "Yes" will not necessarily exclude you from admission to the United States.
Page 1, Question 1	1. Have you ever been arrested, or have you ever committed, or helped someone else commit, any crimes? If no, proceed to question 2 below. If yes, have you ever:	1. Have you EVER been detained, arrested, or otherwise placed under the custody or control of a law enforcement entity for any reason and for any length of time?
	a. knowingly committed any crime (excluding traffic violations) for which you have not been arrested?	

b. been arrested, cited, charged, convicted,
indicted, fined, or imprisoned for breaking
or violating any law or ordinance excluding
traffic violations?

- **c.** been the beneficiary of a pardon, amnesty, rehabilitation decree, or other act of clemency or similar action?
- **d.** exercised diplomatic immunity to avoid prosecution for a criminal offense in the United States?
- **e.** illicitly trafficked (illegally transported, traded, dealt, or sold) in any illegal narcotic or other controlled substance, or knowingly assisted, abetted, or conspired in the illicit trafficking of any substance?
- **f.** engaged in any unlawful commercialized vice, including, but not limited to, illegal gambling?
- **g.** knowingly encouraged, induced, assisted, abetted, or aided any alien to try to enter the United States illegally?
- **h.** within the past 10 years been a prostitute or procured anyone for prostitution?

Page 2 Question 2

2. Have you ever been to the United States? If no, proceed to question 3. If yes, have you ever:

- **a.** been subject to deportation or removal from the United States?
- **b.** voted illegally in the United States?
- **c.** been a citizen of the United States who has renounced that citizenship to avoid taxation?
- **d.** left the United States to avoid being drafted into the United States Armed

2. Have you **EVER** been cited, charged, indicted, convicted, fined, imprisoned, or otherwise penalized for breaking or violating any law or ordinance, excluding traffic violations?

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	e. been subject to a civil document fraud final order for violating section 274C of the Immigration and Nationality Act of the United States?	
Page 2, Question 3	3. Are you now withholding custody of a United States citizen child outside the United States from a person granted custody of the child?	3. Have you EVER knowingly committed, or helped someone else commit, any crime(s), excluding traffic violations, for which you have not been arrested?
Page 2, Question 4	4. Have you ever:	4. Have you EVER:
Question 4	a. engaged in, conspired to engage in, or do you intend to engage in sabotage, kidnapping, political assassination, hijacking, or any other form of terrorist	a. Been the beneficiary of a pardon, amnesty, rehabilitation decree, or other act of clemency or similar action?
	activity? b. solicited membership or funds for, or	b. Benefited from diplomatic immunity to avoid prosecution for a criminal offense in the United States or any other country?
	ever voluntarily assisted or provided any type of material support to, any person or organization that has ever engaged in sabotage, kidnapping, political assassination, hijacking, or any other form of terrorist activity?	c. Illicitly trafficked (illegally transported, traded, dealt, or sold) in any illegal narcotic or other controlled substance, or knowingly assisted, abetted, or conspired in the illicit trafficking of any substance?
		d. Engaged in any unlawful commercialized vice, including but not limited to, illegal gambling?
		e. Knowingly encouraged, induced, assisted, abetted, or aided any alien to try to enter the United States illegally?
		f. Within the past 10 years been a prostitute or procured anyone for prostitution?
Page 2, Question 5	5. While in the United States, do you intend to engage in:	5. Have you EVER been subject to deportation or removal from the United States?
	a. espionage?	

	 b. any activity a purpose of which is opposition to, or the control or overthrow of the Government of the United States, by force, violence, or other unlawful means? c. any activity to violate or evade any law prohibiting the export from the United States of goods, technology, or sensitive information? d. polygamy (simultaneous marriage to more than spouse)? e. prostitution? 	
Page 2, Question 6	6. Have you ever been a member of, or in any way affiliated with, the Communist party or any other totalitarian party?	6. Have you EVER voted illegally in the United States?
Page 2, Question 7	7. Did you, during the period March 23, 1933 to May 8, 1945, in association with either Nazi Government of Germany or any organization or government associated or allied with the Nazi Government of Germany, ever order, incite, assist, or otherwise participate in the persecution of any person because of race, religion, national origin, or political opinion?	7. Have you EVER been a citizen of the United States who has renounced that citizenship to avoid taxation?
Page 3 Question 8	8. Have you ever harmed any other person because of the person's race, religion, nationality, ethnic origin, or political opinion? If no, proceed to question 9. If yes, have you ever: a. engaged in genocide?	8. Have you EVER left the United States to avoid being drafted into the U.S. Armed Forces?
	b. as a foreign government official at any time in the preceding 24 month period been responsible for:	

	 i. prolonged, arbitrary, or secretive detention or abduction of person or persons with the purpose of restricting their religious freedom, beliefs, or activities? ii. torture or cruel, inhumane, or degrading treatment or punishment of a person or persons with the purpose of restricting their religious freedom, beliefs, or activities? iii. any other flagrant denial of the rights to life, liberty, or the security of a person or persons with the purpose of restricting their religious freedom, beliefs, or activities? 	
Page 3 Question 9	9. Have you, by fraud or willful misrepresentation of a material fact, ever sought to procure, or procured, a visa, other documentation, entry into the United States, or any other immigration benefit?	9. Have you EVER been subject to a civil document fraud final order for violating section 274C of the Immigration and Nationality Act of the United States?
Page 3 Question 10	10. Are you a narcotics abusers or addict?	10. Are you now withholding custody of a U.S. citizen child outside the United States from a person granted custody of the child?
Page 3 Question 11	11. Do you have a physical or mental disorder that has caused you, or may cause you, to harm someone in the future?	11. Did you, during the period March 23, 1933 to May 8, 1945, in association with either Nazi Government of Germany or any other organization or government associated or allied with the Nazi Government of Germany, ever order, incite, assist, or otherwise participate in the persecution of any person because of race, religion, national origin, or political opinion?
New Text		12. Have you EVER been a member of, or in any way affiliated with, the Communist party or any totalitarian party, or any subdivision or affiliate of such parties?

13. Have you EVER:
a. Engaged in, conspired to engage in, or do you intend to engage in sabotage, kidnapping, political assassination, hijacking, or any other form of terrorist activity?
b. Solicited membership or funds for, or ever voluntarily assisted or provided any type of material support to, any person or organization that has ever engaged in sabotage, kidnapping, political assassination, hijacking, or any other form of terrorist activity?
c. Been a representative or member of a terrorist organization?
d. Endorsed or espoused terrorist activity, or persuaded others to endorse or espouse terrorist activity or support a terrorist organization?
e. Been a member of a political, social, or other group that endorsed or espoused terrorist activity?
14. If married, has your spouse ever participated in any of the activities listed in Question 13?
15. If between the ages of 14 and 21, has your parent ever participated in any of the activities listed in Question 13?
16. While in the United States, do you intend to engage in:
a. Espionage?
b. Any activity a purpose of which is opposition to, or the control or overthrow of

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	the Government of the United States by force, violence, or other unlawful means?
	c. Any activity to violate or evade any law prohibiting the export from the United States of goods, technology, or sensitive information?
	d. Polygamy (simultaneous marriage to more than one spouse)?
	e. Prostitution?
	17. Have you EVER ordered, incited, called for, committed, assisted, helped with, or otherwise participated in any of the following:
	a. Acts involving torture or genocide?
	b. Killing any person?
	c. Intentionally and severely injuring any person?
	d. Engaging in any kind of sexual contact or relations with any person who was being forced or threatened?
	e. Limiting or denying any person's ability to exercise religious beliefs?
	18. Have you EVER :
	a. Served in, been a member of, assisted in, or participated in any military unit, paramilitary unit, police unit, self-defense unit, vigilante unit, rebel group, guerrilla group, militia, or insurgent organization?
	b. Served in any prison, jail, prison camp, detention facility, labor camp, or any other situation that involved detaining persons?

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19. Have you EVER been a member of, assisted in, or participated in any group, unit, or organization of any kind in which you or other persons used any type of weapon against any person or threatened to do so?
20. Have you EVER assisted or participated in selling or providing weapons to any person who to your knowledge used them against another person, or in transporting weapons to any person who to your knowledge used them against another person?
21. Have you EVER received any type of military, paramilitary, or weapons training?
22. Have you EVER knowingly recruited a child under 15 years of age to serve in an armed force or group or used a child under 15 years of age to participate actively in hostilities.
23. Have you, by fraud or willful misrepresentation of a material fact, EVER sought to procure, or procured, a visa, other documentation, entry into the United States, or any other immigration benefit?
24. Do you:
a. Currently have any communicable disease of public health significance (including chancroid, gonorrhea, granuloma inguinal, humanimmunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection, infectious leprosy, lymphogranuloma venereum, infectious stage syphilis, and active tuberculosis)?

		b. Have a physical or mental disorder, and behavior associated with the disorder, that may pose, or has posed, a threat to the property, safety, or welfare of yourself or others?
		25. Are you a narcotics user or addict?
Page 3 Signature and Attestation	I, the undersigned, understand all the forgoing statements, having asked for an obtained a translation or explanation of every point that was not understood or	Applicant's Statement and Signature (Check one) [] I can read and understand English, and I
	clear to me.	have read and understand each and every question and instruction on this form, as well as my answer to each question.
	Signature of Applicant Date	[] Each and every question and instruction on this form, as well as my answer to each question, has been read to me in the
	Subscribed and sworn to (Affirmed) by the	language, a
	above named applicant before me	language in which I am fluent, by the person
	Location: Date:	named in Interpreter's Statement and Signature . I understand each and every question and instruction on this form, as
	Interpreter:	well as my answer to each question.
	Signature	Applicant's Signature
	Print Name	E-Mail Address (if any)
	Official:	Date (mm/dd/yyy)
	Signature	
	Print Name	Interpreter Statement and Signature
	Print Name	I certify that I am fluent in English and the below-mentioned language.
		Language Used (language in which applicant is fluent):
		I further certify that I have read each and

	every question and instruction on this form, as well as the answer to each question, to this applicant in the above-mentioned language, and the applicant has understood each and every instruction and question on the form, as well as the answer to each question.
	Interpreter's Signature
	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
	Printed Name
	E-Mail Address (if any)
	Telephone Number (with area/country code)
	Preparer's Statement and Signature
	I declare that I prepared this application at the request of the above person and it is based on all information of which I have knowledge. I have not knowingly withheld any material information that would affect the outcome of this application.
	Attorney or Representative: In the event of a Request for Evidence (RFE) may USCIS contact you by Fax or E-Mail?
	[]Yes []No
	Preparer's Signature
	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
	Preparer's Printed Name
	Preparer's Firm Name (if applicable)
	Preparer's Address
	Daytime Phone Number (with area code)

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	Subscribed and sworn to (affirmed) by the named applicant before me
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