Amended I-360 Table of Changes As of November 23, 2009

Location	Current Language	Proposed Language
	p. 2 Widow/Widower of a U.S. citizen 1. You were married for at least 2 years to a U.S. citizen who is now deceased and who was a U.S. citizen at the time of death. 2. Your citizen spouse's death was less than 2 years ago.	 You were married to a U.S. citizen who is now deceased and who was a U.S. citizen at the time of death. Your citizen spouse died less than 2 years before the date on which you file this petition. NOTE: If your spouse died before October 28, 2009, you may still file this petition if you do so before October 28, 2011. NOTE: If your citizen spouse filed a Form I-130 for you before your citizen spouse died, you do not need to file this petition. Under 8 CFR 204.2(i)(1)(iv), your citizen spouse's Form I-130 was converted to a widow(er)'s Form I-360 when your citizen spouse died.
Page 9 Surviving Spouses of Deceased U.S. Citizens Who Died Before the Second Anniversary of the Marriage (And the Surviving Spouse's Qualifying Children)	Surviving Spouses of Deceased U.S. Citizens Who Died Before the Second Anniversary Of the Marriage (And the Surviving Spouse's Qualifying Children) You may apply for deferred action if you: 1. Are the surviving spouse of a U.S. citizen; 2. Were married to (and not legally divorced or legally separated from) that U.S. citizen at the time of his/her death;	Deleted all information relating to "Surviving Spouses of Deceased U.S. Citizens Who Died Before the Second Anniversary of the Marriage (And the Surviving Spouse's Qualifying Children)"

- **3.** Are presently residing in the United States;
- **4A.** Understand that for the purposes of this program, Form I-360 is being used as a means to determine your eligibility for deferred action **ONLY**; and
- **B.** Understand that the grant of deferred action as requested on your Form I-360 does not make vou a special immigrant or classify you as an immigrant for purposes of establishing eligibility for an immigrant visa or adjustment of status to permanent resident in the United States and does not mean that you are eligible to self-petition as a widow/widower or **special** immigrant;
- 5. May include your children who are presently residing in the United States in this request for deferred action by listing them in **Part 9**, if they meet the following definition of qualifying children:

For the purposes of a petition for deferred action as a surviving spouse of a deceased U.S. citizen, who died before the second anniversary of the marriage and his or her qualifying children, the term

"qualifying children" is defined as follows:

A. Any children of the surviving alien spouse of the deceased U.S. citizen who are:

i. Under the age of 21 years at the time of the filing of the request for deferred action, or under the age of 21 years at the time any immediate relative petition was filed on their behalf by the deceased U.S. citizen spouse;

ii. Unmarried; and

iii. Presently residing in the United States.

B. Qualifying children **do not** include the following persons:

i. Children born in the United States;

ii. Children who are the <mark>natural or</mark> lawfully adopted children or sons and daughters of the deceased U.S. citizen, unless they are also the stepchildren of the surviving alien spouse by virtue of the marriage to the U.S. citizen having taken place before the children's 18th birthdays;

iii. Married sons or daughters of the surviving alien spouse;

iv. The sons or daughters of the surviving alien spouse who are outside the United States at the time that the deferred action request is filed; or

v. Sons or daughters of the surviving alien spouse who have reached the age of 21 years at the time that the request for deferred action was filed, unless Form I-130 was filed on their behalf as immediate relative children before their 21st birthdays.

The following circumstances will make you ineligible for deferred action under this program:

- **A.** A divorce legally terminating the spousal relationship between you and the now deceased U.S. citizen;
- **B.** You were married to another person at the time of your qualifying U.S. citizen spouse's death;
- C. You remarried after the death of the U.S. citizen spouse regardless of whether you are currently divorced from that person or that person has also died;

	or	
	D. You were legally separated from your U.S. citizen spouse at the time of his or her death;	
	6A. The deferred action applicant must complete Parts 1 , 3 , 4 , 7 , 9 , 10 , and 11 of Form I-360;	
	B. Check "m" in Part 2 of Form I-360 and write in the appropriate language specified within these instructions. (Note: Your failure to check "m" and write in the appropriate language may result in a denial of the petition.);	
	7. Submit the appropriate fee with your Form I-360; and	
	8. Submit your deferred action request (Form I-360 with appropriate fee) with the supporting documents listed under "Widow/Widower of a U.S. Citizen" on Pages 1-2 of these instructions.	
Page 7	P. 11 Where To File?	Where to File?
Where to File?	Where Form I-360 is submitted depends on where you live and/or the category in which you are filing. See the following instructions to determine where to file the petition. For Service Center and	Where you can submit Form I-360 depends on where you live and/or the category in which you are filing. Read the following instructions carefully to determine where to file the petition, as the filing location may have changed.

Lockbox mailing addresses, go to "Mailing Addresses" at the end of this section.

Updated Filing Address Information

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If the edition date on your Form I-360 matches the edition date listed for Form I-360 on the online "Immigration Forms" page, your version is current and willbe accepted by USCIS. If the edition date on the online version is later, download a copy and use the online version. If you do not have Internet access. call the National Customer Service Center at 1-800-375-5283 to verify the current filing address and edition date. **Improperly** filed forms will be rejected, and the fee

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Self-Petitioning Battered or Abused Spouse or Child

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- 1. If the beneficiary lives outside the United States, Form I-360 may be filed at the USCIS office overseas or at the U.S. Embassy or consulate having jurisdiction over the beneficiary's current place of residence.
- 2. Form I-360 may also be filed at the USCIS office having jurisdiction over the beneficiary's intended place of residence in the United States by submitting this petition to the USCIS Lockbox.

Widow or Widower

- 1. If you are filing only Form I-360, it must be filed at the Vermont Service Center.
- 2. Form I-360 may also be filed concurrently with Form I-485.
 Concurrent Form I-

(Part 2, Box "i" or "j" on the form):

You must file Form I-360 at the USCIS Vermont Service Center, regardless of where you live. In some cases you may file it concurrently with Form I-485.

NOTE: You may file Form I-485 concurrently with Form I-360 if the abusive spouse or parent is a U.S. citizen.
Otherwise, an immigrant visa number must be immediately available to file Form I-485 concurrently.

USCIS Vermont Service Center

USCIS
Vermont Service Center
75 Lower Welden Street
St. Albans, VT 05479-0001

Afghan and Iraqi
Translators/Interpreters, or
Iraqi Employees Who
Worked for or on Behalf of
the U.S. Government (Part 2,
Box "k" or "l" on the form.)
must file Form I-360 at the
USCIS Nebraska Service
Center, regardless of where
you live. You cannot file it
concurrently with Form I-485.

USCIS Nebraska Service Center:

USCIS Nebraska Service Center P.O. Box 87485 360/I-485
widow/widower
filings must be filed
with the USCIS
Lockbox.

3. If you live outside the United States, you may file Form I-360 at the USCIS office or U.S. Embassy or consulate that has jurisdiction over the area where you live.

Special Immigrant Juvenile Court Dependent

Form I-360 may be filed alone or concurrently with Form I-485 at the USCIS Lockbox.

<mark>Religious Worker or</mark> Minister

Form I-360 must be filed at the California Service Center, regardless of where you live or work. It cannot be filed concurrently with Form I-485.

Special Immigrant International Organization Employee or Family Member

Form I-360 must be filed wit the Nebraska Service Center, regardless of where you live. It may be filed alone or concurrently with Form I-485.

Lincoln, NE 68501-7485

You must file at the USCIS Chicago Lockbox Facility if you are filing your Form I-360 under the classification:

Amerasian (Part 2, Box "a" on the form):

Note: If you live outside the United States, you may file Form I-360 at the USCIS office or U.S. Embassy or consulate that has jurisdiction over the area where you live.

- 2. Widow or Widower (Part 2, Box "b" on form) filed concurrently with Form I-485. (Note: Form I-360 submitted alone should go to the USCIS Dallas or Phoenix Lockbox Facility, based on where the applicant lives. See address chart on **page 7** for guidance.)
- 3. Special Immigrant
 Juvenile (Part 2, Box
 "c" on the form): You
 may file alone or
 concurrently with Form
 I-485.

USCIS Chicago Lockbox

For U.S. Postal Service (USPS) deliveries:

Armed Forces Member

- 1. If you live outside the United States, file Form I-360 at the USCIS office or U.S. Embassy or consulate abroad that has jurisdiction over the area where you live.
- 2. If you live in the United States, file Form I-360 with the Vermont or California Service Center, depending on the place where you live, or you may file it concurrently with Form I-485 at the USCIS Lockbox.

Afghan and Iraqi Translators/Interpreters, or Iraqi Employees Who Worked for or on Behalf of the U.S. Government

Form I-360 must be filed at the Nebraska Service Center, regardless of where you live. It cannot be filed concurrently with Form I-485.

<mark>International</mark> Broadcasters

Form I-360 must be filed at the Vermont Service Center, regardless of where you live or work. It cannot be filed concurrently with

USCIS P.O. Box 805887 Chicago, IL 60680-4120

For Express mail and courier deliveries:

USCIS Attn: FBAS 131 South Dearborn - 3rd Floor Chicago, IL 60603-5520

If you are filing the Form I-360 for any other reason, file your application at the USCIS Phoenix or Dallas Lockbox facility, based on where you live. See chart.

Other filing categories include but are not limited to:

- 1. Religious Workers (Part 2, Box "d" on the form) must file Form I-360 alone or concurrently with a Form I-485;
- 2. Panama Canal Company Employment (Part 2, Box "e" on the form) must not file Form I-360 concurrently with a Form I-485;
- 3. Canal Zone Government Employment or U.S. Government in Canal Zone Employment (Part 2, Box "e" on the form) must not file Form I-360 concurrently with a Form I-485;
- 4. Special Immigrant

Form I-485.

Self-Petitioning Battered or Abused Spouse or Child

Form I-360 must be filed at the Vermont Service Center, regardless of where you live. In some cases it may be filed concurrently with Form I-485 (see note below).

NOTE: Form I-485 may be filed concurrently with Form I-360 if the abusive spouse or parent is a U.S. citizen. Otherwise, an immigrant visa number must be immediately available to file the I-485 concurrently.

Surviving Spouse of Deceased U.S. Citizens Who Died Before the Second Anniversary of the Marriage (And the Surviving Spouse's Qualifying Children)

If you are filing as a surviving spouse of a U.S. citizen who died prior to 2 years of marriage, you must file your Form I-360 with the appropriate fee and supporting documents with the Vermont Service Center.

For other categories including:

1. Panama Canal

Physician (Part 2, Box "f" on the form) must not file Form I-360 concurrently with a Form I-485;

- 5. Special Immigrant
 Organization Employee or
 Family Member (Part 2, Box
 "g" on the form) must file
 Form I-360 alone or
 concurrently with a Form I485;
- 6. International Broadcasters (Part 2, Box "g" on the form) must not file Form I-360 concurrently with a Form I-485;
- 7. Members of the Armed Forces who live within the United States (Part 2, Box "h" on the form) must file Form I-360 alone or concurrently with a Form I-485.

USCIS Phoenix or Dallas Lockbox Facility

If you live in :	File your application at:
Alaska,	USCIS
<mark>Arizona,</mark>	Phoenix
California,	Lockbox
Colorado,	For U.S.
Guam, Hawaii, Idaho,	Postal Service
Illinois,	(USPS)
<mark>Indiana, Iowa,</mark>	<mark>deliveries:</mark>
<mark>Kansas,</mark>	USCIS
<mark>Michigan,</mark>	PO Box

Company	Minnesota,	<mark>21281</mark>
Employment;	Missouri,	<mark>Phoenix,</mark>
Canal Zone	Montana,	AZ 85036
Government	Nebraska,	
Employment;	Nevada, North	For Express
3. U.S. Government in	Dakota, Ohio,	mail and
Canal Zone	Oregon, South	courier
Employment; or	Dakota, Utah,	<mark>service</mark>
4. Special Immigrant	Washington,	deliveries:
Physician.	Wisconsin, or	
	Wyoming	USCIS
File Form I-360 with the	, , John S	Attn: AOS
California Service Center		1820 E.
or the Vermont Service		Skyharbor
Center, depending on		Circle S
where you live:		Suite 100
where you nve.		Phoenix,
If you live in Alabama,		AZ 85034
Arkansas, Connecticut,		AZ 03034
Delaware, the District of	Alabama,	USCIS
Columbia, Florida,	Arkansas,	Dallas
Georgia, Kentucky,	Connecticut,	Lockbox
Louisiana, Maine,	Delaware,	For U.S.
Maryland, Massachusetts,	District of	Postal
Mississippi, New	Columbia,	Service
Hampshire, New Jersey,	Florida,	(USPS)
New Mexico, New York,	Georgia,	Deliveries:
North Carolina, South	Kentucky,	USCIS
Carolina, Oklahoma,	Louisiana,	PO Box
Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico,	Maine,	660867
Rhode Island, Tennessee,	Maryland,	Dallas, TX
Texas, Vermont, Virginia,		75266
U.S. Virgin Islands, or	Massachusetts, Mississippi,	<mark>/ 5200</mark>
West Virginia	New	For Express
file this petition with the	Hampshire,	mail and
Vermont Service Center.	New Jersey,	courier
vermont service center.	New Mexico,	service
If you live in Alaska,		deliveries:
Arizona, California,	New York, North	denveries.
Colorado, Guam, Hawaii,		TICCIC
Idaho, Illinois, Indiana,	Carolina,	USCIS
Iowa, Kansas, Michigan,	Oklahoma,	Attn: AOS
	Pennsylvania,	2501 S.
Minnesota, Missouri,	Puerto Rico,	State Hwy.
Montana, Nebraska,	Rhode Island,	121,
Nevada, North Dakota,	South	Business Switz 400
Ohio, Oregon, South	Carolina,	Suite 400

Dakota, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin, or Wyoming, file this petition with the

California Service Center.

Mailing Addresses:

Service Center Addresses:

California Service Center

USCIS

California Service Center P.O. Box 10360 Laguna Niguel, CA 92607-0360

Nebraska Service Center

USCIS

Nebraska Service Center P.O. Box 87360 Lincoln, NE 68501-7360

Vermont Service Center

USCIS

Vermont Service Center 75 Lower Welden Street St. Albans, VT 05479-0001

USCIS Lockbox **Addresses**

For U.S. Postal Service (USPS) deliveries, use the following P.O. Box Number:

USCIS

Attn: I-360 Box 805887

Chicago, IL 60680-4120

For Courier or Special **Delivery**, use:

Tennessee,	<mark>Lewisville,</mark>
<mark>Texas,</mark>	TX 75067
Vermont,	
<mark>Virginia, U.S.</mark>	
<mark>Virgin Islands,</mark>	
<mark>or West</mark>	
<mark>Virginia</mark>	

E-Notification:

If you are filing your Form I-360 at one of the USCIS Lockbox facilities, you may elect to receive an email and/or text message notifying you that your application has been accepted. You must complete Form G-1145, E-Notification of Application/Petition Acceptance, and clip it to the first page of your application. To download a copy of Form G-1145, including the instructions, click on the link www.uscis.gov "FORMS."

	USCIS Attn: I-360 131 South Dearborn-3 rd Floor Chicago, IL 60603-5517	
FORM		
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