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Sec. 101. [8 U.S.C. 1101] (a) As used in this Act-

(13) [**2/**](http://connect.uscis.dhs.gov/workingresources/Source/docView/SLB/HTML/SLB/0-0-0-1/0-0-0-28/0-0-0-100/0-0-0-510.html#0-0-0-561) (A) The terms "admission" and "admitted" mean, with respect to an alien, the lawful entry of the alien into the United States after inspection and authorization by an immigration officer.

Sec. 101. [8 U.S.C. 1101] (a) As used in this Act-

(20) The term "lawfully admitted for permanent residence" means the status of having been lawfully accorded the privilege of residing permanently in the United States as an immigrant in accordance with the immigration laws, such status not having changed.