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Comment 1.	<p>Commenter: Jean Publiee USCIS-2008-0025-0203 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0203</p>  <p>USCIS-2008-0025-0 203_Jean_Publiee_r05</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection. USCIS is required to extend the use of the Form N-400 to comply with legal requirements for public use of the form by individuals seeking to apply for naturalization.</p>
Comment 2.	<p>Commenter: ILRC USCIS-2008-0025-0207 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0207</p>  <p>USCIS-2008-0025-0 207_ILRC_r07142022</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into plain language. We will take your suggestions into consideration as part of that revision.</p>
Comment 3.	<p>Commenter: KINZA SCHUYLER/Lutheran Community Services NW USCIS-2008-0025-0209 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0209</p>  <p>USCIS-2008-0025-0 209_KINZA_SCHUYLE</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into plain language. We will take your suggestions into consideration as part of that revision.</p>
Comment 4.	<p>Commenter: UnidosUS USCIS-2008-0025-0210 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0210</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into</p>



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	 <p>USCIS-2008-0025-0 210_UnidosUS_r0715</p>	<p>plain language. We will take your suggestions into consideration as part of that revision.</p>
<p>Comment 5.</p>	<p>Commenter: Project Citizenship USCIS-2008-0025-0205 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0205</p>  <p>USCIS-2008-0025-0 205_ProjectCitizenshi</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into plain language. We will take your suggestions into consideration as part of that revision.</p> <p>Thank you for your comment regarding updating the NTA guidance. Revising the NTA guidance is beyond the scope of this information collection. As this comment does not provide specific suggestions to revise this information collection, no changes will be made to the N-400 based on this comment. USCIS notes that it continues to evaluate its agency guidance in an effort to improve upon it.</p> <p>Thank you for your comment regarding online account usability. These comments appear focused on online usability in general and not necessarily specific to the N-400 information collection. As this comment does not provide specific suggestions to revising this information collection, no changes will be made to the N-400 based on this comment. USCIS notes that it continues to evaluate ways to improve its online capabilities.</p> <p>Thank you for your comment regarding streamlining interviews. As this comment does not provide specific suggestions to revising this information collection, no changes will be made to the N-400 based</p>




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		<p>on this comment. USCIS notes that it continues to evaluate ways to better streamline processes</p>
<p>Comment 6.</p>	<p>Commenter: Asian Americans Advancing Justice - Los Angeles USCIS-2008-0025-0212 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0212  USCIS-2008-0025-0 212_AAAJ-LA_r07152</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into plain language. We will take your suggestions into consideration as part of that revision.</p>
<p>Comment 7.</p>	<p>Commenter: Xuan Luo USCIS-2008-0025-0204 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0204  USCIS-2008-0025-0 204_XuanLuo_r05522</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into plain language. We will take your suggestions into consideration as part of that revision.</p>
<p>Comment 8.</p>	<p>Commenter: City of Seattle OIRA USCIS-2008-0025-0206 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0206  USCIS-2008-0025-0 206_CityOfSeattle_r0:</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into plain language. We will take your suggestions into consideration as part of that revision.</p> <p>Thank you for your comment suggesting Form I-912 and Form I-942 be accessible online. The online capabilities of the Form I-912 and I-942 are not necessarily tied to this information collection and therefore beyond the scope. As this comment does not provide specific suggestions to revise this information collection, no</p>


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<p>Comment 9.</p>	<p>Commenter: Massachusetts Immigrant and Refugee Advocacy Coalition (MIRA) USCIS-2008-0025-0208 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0208</p>  <p>USCIS-2008-0025-0 208_MIRA_r0715202:</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into plain language. We will take your suggestions into consideration as part of that revision.</p> <p>Thank you for your comment suggesting Form I-912 and Form I-942 be accessible online. The online capabilities of the Form I-912 and I-942 are not necessarily tied to this information collection and therefore beyond the scope. As this comment does not provide specific suggestions to revise this information collection, no changes will be made to the N-400 based on this comment. USCIS notes that it continues to implement its plan working toward expanding electronic filing for applications and petitions for immigration benefits which was developed pursuant to Section 4103 of the Emergency Stopgap USCIS Stabilization Act, Title I, Div. D of Public Law (P.L.) 116-159 (8 U.S.C. 1103 note).</p>
<p>Comment 10.</p>	<p>Commenter: NALEO USCIS-2008-0025-0211 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0211</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into</p>



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<p>Comment 11.</p>	<p>Commenter: OneAmerica USCIS-2008-0025-0213 https://www.regulations.gov/comment/USCIS-2008-0025-0213</p>  <p>USCIS-2008-0025-0 213_OneAmerica_r07</p>	<p>Response: Thank you for your comment. This action is an extension, without change, of a currently approved collection to keep the N-400 information collection approved for use. USCIS is currently engaged in a separate N-400 revision project looking at ways to reduce the burden on respondents and revise content into plain language. We will take your suggestions into consideration as part of that revision.</p> <p>Thank you for your comment suggesting Form I-912 and Form I-942 be accessible online. The online capabilities of the Form I-912 and I-942 are not necessarily tied to this information collection and therefore beyond the scope. As this comment does not provide specific suggestions to revise this information collection, no changes will be made to the N-400 based on this comment. USCIS notes that it continues to implement its plan working toward expanding electronic filing for applications and petitions for immigration benefits which was developed pursuant to Section</p>

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