

Form I-914-015 Extension - Responses to 30-day FRN Public Comments

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Commenter ID	Comment	USCIS Response
	Commenter: Anonymous	
0166	The commenter suggests allowing T Nonimmigrant Visa holders to submit an affidavit affirming their continued eligibility for T status. This would help address government case backlogs and streamline processing, especially for those transitioning to another immigration status or no longer needing T status. Receiving such statements could allow agencies to remove unnecessary cases from consideration, benefiting both the government and visa holders.	Response: This extension action is to keep the form approved for use under the Paperwork Reduction Act. No substantive changes were proposed. Nonetheless, to address the commenter’s concerns, if an applicant is not eligible, that will be determined when the request is adjudicated.
	Commenter: WhoPoo App	
0165	The comment raises concerns about fraud in the U visa program, referencing a July 2025 indictment of five Louisiana men—including law enforcement officers—for conspiring to create false police reports to help applicants fraudulently obtain U visas. The U visa, intended to assist victims of certain crimes who cooperate with law enforcement, has eligibility criteria including being a victim of qualifying criminal activity and providing helpfulness to law enforcement. The commenter suggests removing "mental abuse" as a qualifier, restricting certification to law enforcement and prosecutors (excluding judges and federal agencies), and shortening the residency requirement from three years to six months, with deportation if cases are unresolved. The comment cites past reports and cases indicating the program is vulnerable to abuse and fraud, and calls for stricter oversight and eligibility requirements.	Response: This comment was out of scope for the proposed collection and did not provide feedback on the nature of the proposed collection. Form I-914 is used to apply for T-nonimmigrant status. The comment references requests for U-non-immigrant status.
	Commenter: jean public	
0164	The commenter expresses strong opposition to immigration, stating that the U.S. should halt all immigration and stop using taxpayer funds for immigration programs. They suggest requiring immigrants to post bonds to cover potential harm and claim that immigration has negatively impacted Americans over the past 50 years.	Response: This comment was out of scope for the proposed collection and did not provide feedback on the nature of the proposed collection.