

Affidavit of Support Under Section 213A of the INA

Department of Homeland Security

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

USCIS Form I-864

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	Affidavit of S	Section 213A Review				Number of Support Affidavits in File	
T1	□ Petitione:		☐ MEETS ☐ DOES NOT MEET				
For USCIS	☐ 1st Joint	Sponsor		quirements	require	ements	
Use	☐ 2nd Joint	1	Povic	ewed By:			Remarks
Only	□ Substitute Sponsor			e:			
	□ 5% Own	•		(mm/dd/yyyy)			
			Date	(IIIII/ dd/ y y y y)	/		
To be completed by an attorney or accredited representative (if any). Select this box Form G-28 or G-28I is attacknown a				Attorney Sta		Number	Attorney or Accredited Representative USCIS Online Account Number (if any)
► STAI	RT HERE - Ty	pe or print in black	ink.				
Part 1.	Basis For F	iling Affidavit of	Supp	ort	Ma	iling Addre	(USPS ZIP Code Lookup)
I,					2.a.	In Care Of N	Vame
· L	sponsor submit	ting this affidavit of	support	because ,			
(Select	only one box):				2.b.	Street Numb	er
	I am the petitio immigration of	oner. I filed or am fili my relative.	ing for	the	2	and Name	
	•	worker petition on be	shalf of	fthe	2.c.	Apt	Ste. Flr.
		igrant, who is related			2.d.	City or Tow	n
					2.e.	State	2.f. ZIP Code
1.c.	I have an owne	ership interest of at le	ast 5 pe	ercent in	2.g.	Province	
	which filed an	alien worker petition	on beh	alf of the		Postal Code	
		igrant, who is related					
					2.i.	Country	7
1.d.	I am the only jo	oint sponsor.					
1.e.	I am the	first second of	two joir	nt sponsors.	Oth	er Informa	tion
1.f.		etitioner is deceased. sor. I am the intendi			3.	Country of C	Citizenship or Nationality
		this form as a spon			4.	Date of Birth	n (mm/dd/yyyy)
include proof of your U.S. citizenship, U.S. national sta or lawful permanent resident status.			al status,	5.	Alien Regist	ration Number (A-Number) (if any)	
or iawiui	permanent res	sident status.					► A-
Part 2. Information About the Principal					6.	USCIS Onli	ne Account Number (if any)
Immigrant)	▶
1.a. Fam					7.	Daytime Tel	ephone Number
,	st Name) en Name						
	st Name)						
1.c. Mid	dle Name						

Par	et 3. Information About the Immigrants You	Fami	lly Member 3
Are	e Sponsoring	14.a.	Family Name
1.	I am sponsoring the principal immigrant named in Part 2.	14.b.	(Last Name) Given Name
	Yes No (Applicable only if you are sponsoring family members in Part 3. as the second		(First Name)
	joint sponsor or if you are sponsoring	14.c.	Middle Name
	family members who are immigrating	15.	Relationship to Principal Immigrant
	more than six months after the principal immigrant)		
2.	I am sponsoring the following family members	16.	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
_,	immigrating at the same time or within six months of	17.	Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any)
	the principal immigrant named in Part 2. (Do not include any relative listed on a separate visa petition.)	17.	► A-
3.	☐ I am sponsoring the following family members who	18.	USCIS Online Account Number (if any)
	are immigrating more than six months after the principal immigrant.		
Fam	ily Member 1	Fami	lly Member 4
	Family Name	19.a.	Family Name (Last Name)
	(Last Name)	19.b.	Given Name
4.b.	Given Name (First Name)		(First Name)
4.c.	Middle Name	19.c.	Middle Name
5.	Relationship to Principal Immigrant	20.	Relationship to Principal Immigrant
6.	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	21.	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
	Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any)	22.	Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any)
7.	Allen Registration Number (A-Number) (if any)		► A-
0		23.	USCIS Online Account Number (if any)
8.	USCIS Online Account Number (if any)		•
		Fami	ily Member 5
	ily Member 2		Family Name
9.a.	Family Name (Last Name)	241	(Last Name)
9.b.	Given Name	24.b.	Given Name (First Name)
9.c.	(First Name) Middle Name	24.c.	Middle Name
10.	Relationship to Principal Immigrant	25.	Relationship to Principal Immigrant
10.	Relationship to Frincipal miningrant		
		26.	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
11.	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)		
12.	Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any)	27.	Alien Registration Number (A-Number) (if any) ▶ A-
	► A-		, 11
13.	USCIS Online Account Number (if any)	28.	USCIS Online Account Number (if any)

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Part 3.	Information About the Immigrants Y	You
Are Spo	onsoring (continued)	

29. Enter the total number of immigrants you are sponsoring on this affidavit which includes the principal immigrant listed in Part 2., any immigrants listed in Part 3., Item Numbers 1. - 28. and (if applicable), any immigrants listed

-	or these questions in Part 11. Additional Informat Do not count the principal immigrant if you are only ponsoring family members entering more than 6 mo fter the principal immigrant.	ion.
Par	t 4. Information About You (Sponsor)	
Spo	nsor's Full Name	
1.a.	Family Name (Last Name)	
1.b.	Given Name (First Name)	
1.c.	Middle Name	
Spo	nsor's Mailing Address	
2.a.	In Care Of Name	
2.b.	Street Number and Name	
2.c.	Apt. Ste. Flr.	
2.d.	City or Town	
2.e.	State 2.f. ZIP Code	
2.g.	Province	
2.h.	Postal Code	
2.i.	Country	

If you answered "No" to Item Number 3., provide your physical address in Item Numbers 4.a. - 4.h.

3.

address?

Is your current mailing address the same as your physical

Yes No

Spo	onsor's Physical Address
4.a.	Street Number and Name
4.b.	Apt. Ste. Flr.
1.c.	City or Town
4.d.	State 4.e. ZIP Code
4.f.	Province
1. g.	Postal Code
4.h.	Country
Oth	per Information
5.	Country of Domicile
6.	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
7.	City or Town of Birth
8.	State or Province of Birth
9.	Country of Birth
10	HC Con'd Con et a Number (Donn's d)
10.	U.S. Social Security Number (Required)
Citiz	enship or Residency
11.a.	. I am a U.S. citizen.
11.b	. I am a U.S. national.
11.c.	I am a lawful permanent resident.
12.	Sponsor's A-Number (if any) • A-
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13.	Sponsor's USCIS Online Account Number (if any)
Milii	tary Service (To be completed by petitioner sponsors only.)
14.	I am currently on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces
•	or U.S. Coast Guard. Yes No

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US	For SCIS Jse Only		
Pa	rt 5. Sponsor's Household Size	5.	Retired Since (mm/dd/yyyy)
	ΓΕ: Do not count any member of your household more nonce.	6.	Unemployed Since (mm/dd/yyyy)
Pers	sons you are sponsoring in this affidavit:		
1.	Provide the number you entered in Part 3., Item Number 29.	7.	My current individual annual income is:
Pers	sons NOT sponsored in this affidavit:	T	
2.	Yourself.	cour	me you are using from any other person who was ated in your household size, including, in certain litions, the intending immigrant. (See Form I-864
3.	If you are currently married, enter "1" for your spouse.		uctions.) Please indicate name, relationship, and income.
		Pers	on 1
4.	If you have dependent children, enter the number here.	8.	Name
5.	If you have any other dependents, enter the number here.	9.	Relationship
6.	If you have sponsored any other persons on Form I-864 or Form I-864EZ who are now lawful permanent residents, enter the number here.	10. Pers	Current Income \$ on 2
7.	OPTIONAL: If you have siblings perents or adult	11.	Name
·•	OPTIONAL: If you have siblings, parents, or adult children with the same principal residence who are combining their income with yours by submitting Form		
	I-864A, enter the number here.	12.	Relationship
8.	Add together Part 5. , Item Numbers 1 7. and enter the number here.	13.	Current Income \$
	Household Size:	D	2
		Pers	Name
Pa	rt 6. Sponsor's Employment and Income	14.	Name
I an	a currently:	15.	Dalationakin
1.	Employed as a/an	15.	Relationship
2.	Name of Employer 1	16.	Current Income \$
		Pers	on 4
3.	Name of Employer 2 (if applicable)	17.	Name
4.	Self-Employed as a/an (Occupation)	18.	Relationship
		19.	Current Income \$

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		Ноп	sehold	Sizo	Poverty	Guideline	Remarks		
Fo			□ 2	□ 3	Year:		Tema Ks		
US(□ 4 	□ 5	□ 6					
On	ıly	□ 7 □ Oti	□ 8	□ 9	Povei	ty Line:			
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Part (con		-	or's E	Employ	ment ar	nd Income			ct 7. Use of Assets to Supplement Income otional)
	from	Part 6	. Item	Numbe	rs 7., 10.,	come (Total 13., 16., and verty Guidel	19. ; the	from Fede	Part 6., Item Numbers 20. or 24.a 24.c., exceeds the eral Poverty Guidelines for your household size, YOU ARE TREQUIRED to complete this Part 7. Skip to Part 8.
21.		The peo	ople lis	ted in It	em Numb	ers 8., 11., 1	1 4. , and	You	r Assets (Optional)
	_	17. hav with th	e comp	oleted Fo avit all r	orm I-864A necessary l	A. I am filin Form I-864A	g along	1.	Enter the balance of all savings and checking accounts.
22.	completed by these people. 22. One or more of the people listed in Item Numbers 8., 11., 14., and 17. do not need to complete Form I-864A because he or she is the intending immigrant				to complete ntending im	Form	2.	Enter the net cash value of real-estate holdings. (Net value means current assessed value minus mortgage debt.)	
		and has	no acc	company	ving depen	dents.		3.	Enter the net cash value of all stocks, bonds, certificates of deposit, and any other assets not already included in Item Number 1. or Item Number 2.
									\$
					formation			4.	Add together Item Numbers 1 3. and enter the number
		-		ederal ir ax years		return for ea			here. TOTAL: \$
						Yes	∐ No	Asse	ets from Form I-864A, Part 4., Item Number 3.d., for:
	your	Federa				opy or trans		5.a.	Name of Relative
	tax y		1) 7.1				• .	<i>5</i> h	Variable and a lad an amb and a constant from Form I 964A
23.b.		of my I	Federal		tax return	copies or tra	-	5.0.	Your household member's assets from Form I-864A (optional).
								Asse	ets of the principal sponsored immigrant (optional).
Servi	ce (II	RS) For	m 1040	DEZ) as		i Internal Re n my Federa vas:		2., It	principal sponsored immigrant is the person listed in Part tem Numbers 1.a 1.c. Only include the assets if the cipal immigrant is being sponsored by this affidavit of
				Tax	Year	Total Inc	come	supp	ort.
		t Recen				\$		6.	Enter the balance of the principal immigrant's savings and checking accounts.
		Most R				\$			checking accounts.
24.c. 25.			ot requ			al income ta		7.	Enter the net cash value of all the principal immigrant's real estate holdings. (Net value means investment value minus mortgage debt.)
					e to suppo	S required le rt this.	vei and I	8.	Enter the current cash value of the principal immigrant's stocks, bonds, certificates of deposit, and other assets not included in Item Number 6 or Item Number 7

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	Hou	sehold	Size	Poverty Guideline	Sponsor's Household Income	Remarks
For	□ 1	\square 2	□ 3	Year: 20	(Page 5, Line 10)	
USCIS Use	□ 4	□ 5	□ 6	1 car. <u>2 0</u>	\$	
Only	□ 7	□ 8	□ 9	Poverty Line:		t equal 5 times (3 times for spouses and children of lly adopted in the U.S.) the difference between the
·	□ Otl	her		\$	poverty guidelines and the sponsor's hou.	

Part 7. Use of Assets to Supplement Income (Optional) (continued)

9.	Add together	ltem Number:	s 6 8.	and enter	the number
	here.		\$		

Total Value of Assets

10.	Add together Item Numbers 4. , 5.b. , and 9. and enter the
	number here.

TOTAL:	\$	
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Part 8. Sponsor's Contract, Statement, Contact Information, Declaration, Certification, and Signature

NOTE: Read the **Penalties** section of the Form I-864 Instructions before completing this part.

Sponsor's Contract

Please note that, by signing this Form I-864, you agree to assume certain specific obligations under the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) and other Federal laws. The following paragraphs describe those obligations. Please read the following information carefully before you sign Form I-864. If you do not understand the obligations, you may wish to consult an attorney or accredited representative.

What is the Legal Effect of My Signing Form I-864?

If you sign Form I-864 on behalf of any person (called the intending immigrant) who is applying for an immigrant visa or for adjustment of status to a lawful permanent resident, and that intending immigrant submits Form I-864 to the U.S. Government with his or her application for an immigrant visa or adjustment of status, under INA section 213A, these actions create a contract between you and the U.S. Government. The intending immigrant becoming a lawful permanent resident is the consideration for the contract.

Under this contract, you agree that, in deciding whether the intending immigrant can establish that he or she is not inadmissible to the United States as a person likely to become a public charge, the U.S. Government can consider your income and assets as available for the support of the intending immigrant.

What If I Choose Not to Sign Form I-864?

The U.S. Government cannot make you sign Form 1-864 if you do not want to do so. But if you do not sign Form I-864, the intending immigrant may not become a lawful permanent resident in the United States.

What Does Signing Form I-864 Require Me To Do?

If an intending immigrant becomes a lawful permanent resident in the United States based on a Form I-864 that you have signed, then, until your obligations under Form I-864 terminate, you must:

- A. Provide the intending immigrant any support necessary to maintain him or her at an income that is at least 125 percent of the Federal Poverty Guidelines for his or her household size (100 percent if you are the petitioning sponsor and are on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces or U.S. Coast Guard, and the person is your husband, wife, or unmarried child under 21 years of age); and
- **B.** Notify U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) of any change in your address, within 30 days of the change, by filing Form I-865.

What Other Consequences Are There?

If an intending immigrant becomes a lawful permanent resident in the United States based on a Form I-864 that you have signed, then, until your obligations under Form I-864 terminate, the U.S. Government may consider (deem) your income and assets as available to that person, in determining whether he or she is eligible for certain Federal means-tested public benefits and also for state or local means-tested public benefits, if the state or local government's rules provide for consideration (deeming) of your income and assets as available to the person.

This provision does **not** apply to public benefits specified in section 403(c) of the Welfare Reform Act such as emergency Medicaid, short-term, non-cash emergency relief; services provided under the National School Lunch and Child Nutrition Acts; immunizations and testing and treatment for communicable diseases; and means-tested programs under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act.

What If I Do Not Fulfill My Obligations?

If you do not provide sufficient support to the person who becomes a lawful permanent resident based on a Form I-864 that you signed, that person may sue you for this support.

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Part 8. Sponsor's Contract, Statement, Contact Information, Declaration, Certification, and Signature (continued)

If a Federal, state, local, or private agency provided any covered means-tested public benefit to the person who becomes a lawful permanent resident based on a Form I-864 that you signed, the agency may ask you to reimburse them for the amount of the benefits they provided. If you do not make the reimbursement, the agency may sue you for the amount that the agency believes you owe.

If you are sued, and the court enters a judgment against you, the person or agency that sued you may use any legally permitted procedures for enforcing or collecting the judgment. You may also be required to pay the costs of collection, including attorney fees.

If you do not file a properly completed Form I-865 within 30 days of any change of address, USCIS may impose a civil fine for your failing to do so.

When Will These Obligations End?

Your obligations under a Form I-864 that you signed will end if the person who becomes a lawful permanent resident based on that affidavit:

- **A.** Becomes a U.S. citizen:
- **B.** Has worked, or can receive credit for, 40 quarters of coverage under the Social Security Act;
- **C.** No longer has lawful permanent resident status and has departed the United States;
- **D.** Is subject to removal, but applies for and obtains, in removal proceedings, a new grant of adjustment of status, based on a new affidavit of support, if one is required; or
- E. Dies.

NOTE: Divorce **does not** terminate your obligations under Form I-864.

Your obligations under a Form I-864 that you signed also end if you die. Therefore, if you die, your estate is not required to take responsibility for the person's support after your death. However, your estate may owe any support that you accumulated before you died.

Sponsor's Statement

NOTE: Select the box for either **Item Number 1.a.** or **1.b.** If applicable, select the box for **Item Number 2.**

1.a.	I can read and understand English, and I have read
	 and understand every question and instruction on this
	affidavit and my answer to every question.

1.D.		The interpreter named in Part 9. read to me every
		question and instruction on this affidavit and my
		answer to every question in
		,
		a language in which I am fluent, and I understood everything.
2.		At my request, the preparer named in Part 10. ,
		prepared this affidavit for me based only upon
		information I provided or authorized.
Spo	nso	r's Contact Information
3.	Spo	onsor's Daytime Telephone Number
4.	Spo	onsor's Mobile Telephone Number (if any)
5.	Cno	angor's Email Address (if any)
3.	Spc	onsor's Email Address (if any)

Sponsor's Declaration and Certification

Copies of any documents I have submitted are exact photocopies of unaltered, original documents, and I understand that USCIS or the U.S. Department of State (DOS) may require that I submit original documents to USCIS or DOS at a later date. Furthermore, I authorize the release of any information from any and all of my records that USCIS or DOS may need to determine my eligibility for the benefit that I seek.

I furthermore authorize release of information contained in this affidavit, in supporting documents, and in my USCIS or DOS records, to other entities and persons where necessary for the administration and enforcement of U.S. immigration law.

I certify, under penalty of perjury, that all of the information in my affidavit and any document submitted with it were provided or authorized by me, that I reviewed and understand all of the information contained in, and submitted with, my affidavit and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct.

- **A.** I know the contents of this affidavit of support that I signed;
- **B.** I have read and I understand each of the obligations described in **Part 8.**, and I agree, freely and without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion, to accept each of those obligations in order to make it possible for the immigrants indicated in **Part 3.** to become lawful permanent residents of the United States;
- C. I agree to submit to the personal jurisdiction of any Federal or state court that has subject matter jurisdiction of a lawsuit against me to enforce my obligations under this Form I-864;

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Inform	Sponsor's Contract, Statement, Contact ation, Declaration, Certification, and
Signatu	ire (continued)
D.	Each of the Federal income tax returns submitted in support of this affidavit are true copies, or are unaltered tax transcripts, of the tax returns I filed with the IRS;
Е.	I understand that, if I am related to the sponsored immigrant by marriage, the termination of the marriage (by divorce, dissolution, annulment, or other legal process) will not relieve me of my obligations under this Form I-864; and
F.	I authorize the Social Security Administration to release information about me in its records to USCIS and DOS.

Sponsor's Signature						
6.a.	Sponsor's Signature					
6.b.	Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)					
NOTE TO ALL SPONSORS: If you do not completely fill out this affidavit or fail to submit required documents listed in the Instructions, USCIS or DOS may deny your affidavit.						

Part 9. Interpreter's Contact Information, Certification, and Signature

Provide the following information about the interpreter.

Interpreter's Full Name

1.a.	Interpreter's Family Name (Last Name)
1.b.	Interpreter's Given Name (First Name)
2.	Interpreter's Business or Organization Name (if any)

Interpreter's Mailing Address				
3.a.	Street Number and Name			
3.b.	Apt. Ste. Flr.			
3.c.	City or Town			
3.d.	State 3.e. ZIP Code			
3.f.	Province			
3.g.	Postal Code			
3.h.	Country			
Inte	erpreter's Contact Information			
4.	Interpreter's Daytime Telephone Number			
5.	Interpreter's Mobile Telephone Number (if any)			
6.	Interpreter's Email Address (if any)			
	(m.j)			
Inte	erpreter's Certification			
	tify, under penalty of perjury, that:			
	fluent in English and			
	h is the same language specified in Part 8. , Item Number			
	and I have read to this sponsor in the identified language			
	y question and instruction on this affidavit and his or her			
	ver to every question. The sponsor informed me that he or			
	anderstands every instruction, question, and answer on the avit, including the Sponsor's Declaration and			
	ification , and has verified the accuracy of every answer.			
Inte	erpreter's Signature			
7.a.	Interpreter's Signature			
	F			
7.b.	Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)			

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Part 10. Contact Information, Declaration, and Signature of the Person Preparing this Affidavit, if Other Than the Sponsor

Provide the following information about the preparer.

Pre	parer's Full Name				
1.a.	Preparer's Family Name (Last Name)				
1.b.	Preparer's Given Name (First Name)				
2.	Preparer's Business or Organization Name (if any)				
Preparer's Mailing Address					
3.a.	Street Number and Name				
3.b.	☐ Apt. ☐ Ste. ☐ Flr. ☐				
3.c.	City or Town				
3.d.	State 3.e. ZIP Code				
3.f.	Province				
3.g.	Postal Code				
3.h.	Country				
Pre	parer's Contact Information				
4.	Preparer's Daytime Telephone Number				
5.	Preparer's Mobile Telephone Number (if any)				
6.	Preparer's Email Address (if any)				

Pre	pare	er's Statement			
7.a.		I am not an attorney or accredited representative but have prepared this affidavit on behalf of the sponsor and with the sponsor's consent.			
7.b.		I am an attorney or accredited representative and my representation of the sponsor in this case extends does not extend beyond the preparation of this affidavit.			
		NOTE: If you are an attorney or accredited representative, you may be obliged to submit a completed Form G-28, Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney or Accredited Representative, or G-28I, Notice of Entry of Appearance as Attorney In Matters Outside the Geographical Confines of the United States, with this affidavit.			
Pre	pare	er's Certification			
prepa spons me th in, ar Spon infor	ared sor that had su nd su nsor' maticavit h	gnature, I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I this affidavit at the request of the sponsor. The then reviewed this completed affidavit and informed the or she understands all of the information contained bmitted with, his or her affidavit, including the s Declaration and Certification, and that all of this on is complete, true, and correct. I completed this based only on information that the sponsor provided to thorized me to obtain or use.			
Pre	pare	er's Signature			
8.a.	Pre	parer's Signature			
8.b.	Dat	e of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)			

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Part 11. Additional Information	5.a.	Page Number	5.b.	Part Number	5.c.	Item Number
If you need extra space to provide any additional information within this affidavit, use the space below. If you need more space than what is provided, you may make copies of this page to complete and file with this affidavit or attach a separate sheet of paper. Type or print your name and A-Number (if any) at the top of each sheet; indicate the Page Number , Part Number , and Item Number to which your answer refers; and sign and date each sheet.						
1.a. Family Name (Last Name)						
1.b. Given Name (First Name)						
1.c. Middle Name						
2. A-Number (if any) ► A-						
3.a. Page Number 3.b. Part Number 3.c. Item Number	r 6.a.	Page Number	6.b.	Part Number	6.c.	Item Number
3.d.	6.d.					
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4.a. Page Number 4.b. Part Number 4.c. Item Number	- r 7.a.	Page Number	7.b.	Part Number	7.c.	Item Number
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