

RE: DHS Docket # USCIS-2006-0041

proposed adjustment of immigration & naturalization
benefit application & petition fee schedule.

I strongly oppose the proposed increase in immigration and naturalization fees. I teach English as a Second Language to immigrants. For most of them, the current fees are a major hurdle. The steep increases proposed would put becoming a permanent resident, reuniting family members and becoming a U.S. citizen out of reach for most of my students.

Immigration and citizenship for immigrants benefit all of us. ~~We~~ appreciate USCIS efforts to improve services, but it is unreasonable to ask many minimum wage earners to fund these improvements.

These huge fee increases seem like another barrier being erected to hurt immigrants. I am opposed to these fee increases.

Sincerely,
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