Guidelines with Required Documents for Filing EB-2 NIW-based I-485 and I-765 Applications

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I-485 (Adjustment of Status) — Principal Applicant: (Name of applicant)

Application & Fees

- G-1145 (e-Notification of Application/Petition Acceptance)
- I-485 form (Application for Adjustment of Status)
- 2 passport-style color photographs (2"x2", signed on back with name & A#Number)
- Cashier's checks for I-485 Application + Biometric fees (\$1,440)

Payment Instructions:

USCIS link for recent payment-related information:

https://www.uscis.gov/newsroom/news-releases/uscis-to-modernize-fee-payments-with-electronic-funds

USCIS will continue to accept paper checks, cashier's checks, and money order payments in addition to credit and debit payments until Oct. 28, 2025. After Oct. 28, 2025, USCIS will accept **only** ACH debit transactions using Form G-1650 or credit card payments using Form G-1450.

Form Link to pay via ACH Form:

https://www.uscis.gov/sites/default/files/document/forms/g-1650.pdf

Identity & Immigration Status

- Government-issued photo ID (TN driver's license)
- Passport biographical pages
- Bangladeshi National ID card and Driving License (Not mandatory, but you can add if available)
- I-140 approval notice (Form I-797 Notice of Action)
- Most recent I-94 and travel history
- Passport pages with admission & visa stamps
- F-1 visa page
- I-9 card from current employer (TTU)
- Copy of all I-20s (from 2021–present)

Birth & Civil Documents

- Birth Registration Certificate (Bangladesh)
- · Online verification of birth record
- Parental affidavits regarding the late birth certificate
- High school diploma (SSC)
- Bangladeshi National ID card, Driving License, and Passport showing date/place of birth
- If your birth certificate is not in form 3 or 3A, then it is suggested to take an explanation letter from the Bangladesh Embassy in the USA or the location authority responsible for the issuance of the birth certificate regarding the unavailability of form 3 or 3A currently, and the reason for the late issuance of the birth registration certificate

Financial & Employment Evidence

- Employment offer letter
- Last 3 months of pay stubs
- Recent Tax Transcripts (2022–2024)

Personal statement along with documentary evidence to establish that, currently, I am continuing, and also in the future, I will continue to be engaged in the same occupational field that is the basis of my EB-2 National Interest Waiver (NIW)-based immigration petition

- Personal statement confirming intent to work in the same field as I-140
- Updated CV / Resume
- Publications, citation profiles (Google Scholar, Web of Science)
- Peer review invitations records (APEC, PES General Meeting, PES International Meeting, ITEC+, ECCE, IEEE Transactions on Power Electronics, and IEEE Transactions on Transportation Electrification, etc.)
- Skills training certificates
- Academic credentials: M.S. degree + Transcript (TTU), Ph.D. enrollment letter + transcript (TTU), U.S. equivalency evaluation for B.Sc., B.Sc. degree + transcript (PUST)
- Marriage evidence (with derivative applicant/spouse):

Marriage Certificate, Registration, Honeymoon Air Tickets, Joint Apartment Lease, Joint Checking bank account, Joint credit card, Joint health insurance, and Photos as a Married couple (You can add wedding photos, social media posts, honeymoon tour photos; all images must be printed on letter-size paper, don't use photo-paper.

Other Supporting Docs

- Traffic citation records (if any) or "No citations" statement if there are no citations
- Last Visa Bulletin page (June 2025) to show your PD is current for filing I-485

Medical Exam (I-693) Records

• Sealed Form I-693 (Immigration Medical Exam)

Required Vaccination Records:

- Polio
- Varicella (Chicken Pox) / or Titer Test results of Varicella, if you have disease records
- MMR
- Hepatitis-B
- Flu Shot/Influenza
- TDAP

• COVID-19 is no longer a required vaccine.

I-765 (Employment Authorization) — Principal Applicant: Name of Applicant

Application & Fees

- G-1145 (e-Notification of Application/Petition Acceptance)
- I-765 form (Application for Employment Authorization)
- Cashier's check for I-765 fee (\$260)
- 2 passport-style color photographs (2"x2", signed on back with name & A#Number)

Identity & Immigration Status

- Biographical page of current Passport
- F-1 visa page in Passport
- USA driver's license
- Most recent I-94 and travel history
- All I-20s showing valid F-1 status
- I-9 card from employer (TTU)
- Any prior EAD cards (if applicable in this case, attach all of your EAD cards, or none; include "no EAD yet" statement)