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IOE0916179695



A231-694-244

RE: FATIMA ALVA QUINTANA  
I-485, Application to Register Permanent Residence or  
Adjust Status

### **REQUEST FOR EVIDENCE**

You are receiving this notice because U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) requires additional evidence to process your Form I-485, Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status, filed on May 5, 2022 under section 245 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) based on being the beneficiary of a family-based immigrant petition. Please read this letter carefully, follow all of the instructions, and provide the requested evidence and information in order for us to make a final decision on your case. Include duplicate copies if you are requesting consular notification.

#### **What You Need to Do**

**Submit a completed Form I-693, Report of Medical Examination and Vaccination Record.** A USCIS civil surgeon must complete and sign the form, and you must also sign the form. If the civil surgeon refers you to a specialist, the specialist must include his or her medical exam results and complete the proper sections of the Form I-693 before the civil surgeon may sign the form. Once everyone has signed, the civil surgeon will place the completed Form I-693 in a sealed envelope and give it to you. You must submit the sealed envelope containing the original Form I-693 that the civil surgeon signed and the medical exam results; we will NOT accept photocopied Form I-693 and medical exam results.

Civil surgeons must use the current Edition of Form I-693. You can find the current edition of Form I-693 on USCIS's website at [www.uscis.gov](http://www.uscis.gov). In addition, the civil surgeon must ensure that all parts of Form I-693 were properly completed.

**Please Note:** All Forms I-693 signed by civil surgeons on or after October 5, 2022 must use the 07/19/2022 edition of Form I-693. USCIS will not accept the 09/13/2021 version (or any previous editions) if the civil surgeon signed the Form I-693 after October 4, 2022. Therefore, the civil surgeon administering your immigration medical examination must complete and sign the 07/19/2022 edition of the Form I-693.

**Reminder:** Effective October 1, 2021, applicants subject to the immigration medical examination must complete the COVID-19 vaccine series before the civil surgeon can complete an immigration



medical examination and sign Form I-693. This applies to Form I-693 signed by civil surgeon on or after October 1, 2021.

Please return the completed Form I-693 in an envelope sealed by the civil surgeon. Including a copy of this notice with your Form I-693 will facilitate matching the medical report with your file.

**Important Warning:** Only a designated civil surgeon authorized by USCIS to conduct medical examinations is qualified to complete the Form I-693. The civil surgeon must sign and date the Form I-693. Signatures by a nurse, physician's assistant, or a doctor not designated as a civil surgeon are not acceptable. You must also sign and date the Form I-693 when instructed to do so by the civil surgeon. When appropriately completed and signed, the original Form I-693 must be sealed in a separate envelope by the civil surgeon. The sealed envelope must be returned, unopened, to this office with any other requested evidence.

A list of designated civil surgeons can be obtained by calling the USCIS Contact Center at 1-800-375-5283, or via the USCIS website at [www.uscis.gov](http://www.uscis.gov) and using the MyUSCIS Find a Doctor tool at [my.uscis.gov/findadoctor](http://my.uscis.gov/findadoctor). You will need to provide your zip code or address. If you are hearing impaired, please call the USCIS Contact Center TDD at 1-800-767-1833.

**Although processing times cannot be guaranteed, in order to complete your case as soon as possible, we strongly encourage you to submit your complete Form I-693 via express mail.**

**Submit evidence Fatima Alva Quintana and Luis Carlos Quintana share a marital life together.** It should cover the time period from March 4, 2022 to the present. Such evidence may include, but is not limited to:

- Documents showing joint ownership of property, such as mortgage agreements or payments, property titles, or property registrations;
- Lease(s) showing the same residence;
- Documents showing shared finances and obligations (such as joint bank account(s), credit card statements, telephone bills, gas bills, electric bills, water bills, other utility bills, joint income taxes, joint insurance policies, insurance policies where one spouse is the dependent of the other, etc.);
- Birth certificate(s) of child(ren) born to the spouses;
- Pictures of wedding and other events; or
- Sworn affidavits from others with personal knowledge of the validity of the marriage. Each affidavit must have the full name, address, and date and place of birth of the person making the statement. It must also include his or her relationship, if any, to one or both spouses. Each affidavit must have complete information and details explaining how the person knows about the marriage. Each person making an affidavit may be required to testify before an immigration officer about the information in the affidavit. Affidavits should be supported, if possible, by one or more documents listed above as possible evidence.

For more information about the acceptable country-specific documentation, please visit [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov). Enter "Visa Reciprocity and Civil Documents by Country" in the search box. Select Civil Documents And How To Use Them from the listed search results. For marriage documentation requirements, choose the applicant's country of birth and review the information under the "Marriage, Divorce Certificates" section.

**Your response must be received in this office by March 31, 2023.**



Please note that you have been allotted the maximum period allowed for responding to a Request for Evidence (RFE). The time period for responding cannot be extended. 8 Code of Federal Regulations (8 CFR) 103.2(b)(8)(iv). Because many immigration benefits are time sensitive, you are encouraged to respond to this request as early as possible, but no later than the deadline provided. If you do not respond to this notice within the allotted time, your case may be denied. The regulations do not provide for an extension of time to submit the requested evidence.

You must either mail the requested information to the address shown below or scan and upload your response using your USCIS online account (if applicable). You must submit the requested information by March 31, 2023. Please note, if the request is for original documents, you must submit that evidence by mail.

You must submit all of the requested evidence at one time. If you submit only part of the evidence, we will make a decision based on the evidence that you submit. We will not consider any evidence that is submitted after the due date. If you do not respond to this request by the date shown above, we will deny your case.

If you submit a document in any language other than English, it must be accompanied by a complete, accurate and certified English translation of the entire document including a translation of the registrar's name and information, signature and stamp of the civil authority. The translator must certify that the translation is accurate, and he or she is competent to translate from that language to English. **If you submit a foreign language translation in response to this request for evidence, you must also include a copy of the foreign language document.**

We strongly recommend you keep a copy of all documents that you submit to USCIS in response to this request. Processing of your Form I-485, Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status, will resume upon receipt of your response. If you have not heard from USCIS within **60 days of responding**, you may contact the USCIS Contact Center at 1-800-375-5283. If you are hearing impaired, please call the USCIS Contact Center TTY at 1-800-767-1833.

For questions about your application, please visit our web site at [www.uscis.gov](http://www.uscis.gov). You can use our online tools at [www.uscis.gov/tools](http://www.uscis.gov/tools), including our virtual assistant Emma, for information and guidance. If you are not able to find the information you need online, you can reach out to the USCIS Contact Center online by visiting [www.uscis.gov/contactcenter](http://www.uscis.gov/contactcenter).

**Place a copy of this entire letter on top of your response. Submission of evidence without this letter may delay the processing of your case and could result in a denial.**

**Mail your response to this address:**

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services  
Portland Field Office  
1455 NW Overton St, Suite 1  
Portland, OR 97209

Sincerely,

Margaret Rosenast



Field Office Director

cc:MICHAEL SOLOMON



# THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## I-797 | NOTICE OF ACTION

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY  
U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES



Receipt Number IOE0916179696		Case Type I130 - PETITION FOR ALIEN RELATIVE
Received Date 05/05/2022	Priority Date 05/05/2022	Petitioner QUINTANA, LUIS CARLOS
Notice Date 04/26/2023	Page 1 of 1	Beneficiary A231 694 244 QUINTANA, FATIMA ALVA
QUINTANA, LUIS CARLOS c/o SOLOMON, MICHAEL SCOT Solomon Immigration Law 2255 GLADES ROAD STE 324A BOCA RATON FL 33431		<b>Notice Type:</b> Approval Notice Section: Husband or wife of U.S Citizen, 201(b) INA

The above petition has been approved. The petition indicates that the beneficiary wishes to apply for adjustment of status to that of a lawful permanent resident. They should submit a copy of this notice, along with a Form I-485, Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status. The beneficiary can obtain Form I-485 from the USCIS website at [www.uscis.gov](http://www.uscis.gov), by contacting the USCIS National Customer Service Center (NCSC) at 1-800-375-5283, or by visiting the local USCIS field office. Filing address information can be found on the USCIS website at [www.uscis.gov](http://www.uscis.gov).

If the beneficiary decides to apply for an immigrant visa outside the United States based on this petition, you should file Form I-824, Application for Action on an Approved Application or Petition, to request that we send the petition to the U.S. Department of State National Visa Center (NVC).

The NVC processes all approved immigrant visa petitions that require consular action. The NVC also determines which consular post is the appropriate consulate to complete visa processing. It will then forward the approved petition to that consulate.

The NVC will contact the beneficiary of this petition with further information about immigrant visa processing steps.

### THIS NOTICE IS NOT A VISA AND MAY NOT BE USED IN PLACE OF A VISA.

The approval of this visa petition does not in itself grant any immigration status and does not guarantee that the alien beneficiary will subsequently be found to be eligible for a visa, for admission to the United States, or for an extension, change, or adjustment of status.

**NOTICE:** Although this application or petition has been approved, USCIS and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security reserve the right to verify this information before and/or after making a decision on your case so we can ensure that you have complied with applicable laws, rules, regulations, and other legal authorities. We may review public information and records, contact others by mail, the internet or phone, conduct site inspections of businesses and residences, or use other methods of verification. We will use the information obtained to determine whether you are eligible for the benefit you seek. If we find any derogatory information, we will follow the law in determining whether to provide you (and the legal representative listed on your Form G-28, if you submitted one) an opportunity to address that information before we make a formal decision on your case or start proceedings.

Please see the additional information on the back. You will be notified separately about any other cases you filed.

USCIS encourages you to sign up for a USCIS online account. To learn more about creating an account and the benefits, go to <https://www.uscis.gov/file-online>.

National Benefits Center  
U.S. CITIZENSHIP & IMMIGRATION SVC  
P.O. Box 648003  
Lee's Summit MO 64002

USCIS Contact Center: [www.uscis.gov/contactcenter](http://www.uscis.gov/contactcenter)

