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State of California

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NEW EXTENSION FOR TEMPORARY PROTECTED STATUS EMPLOYMENT DOCUMENTATION

The US Department of Homeland Security (DHS) announced new extension dates for valid Temporary Protected Status (TPS) related documentation for six countries: El Salvador, Haiti, Honduras, Nepal, Nicaragua, and Sudan. America's Job Center of California[SM] (AJCC) staff should be aware of these extended dates when verifying authorization to work documentation.

When verifying authorization to work, AJCC staff must use the US Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) Form I-9. AJCC staff should note the new dates automatically extend the validity dates of the Employment Authorization Documents; *Notice of Action* (Form I-797) and *Arrival/Departure Record* (Form I-94). The validity dates for the affected countries are as follows:

TPS Designation(s)	Current Expiration Date	New Expiration Date
El Salvador, Haiti, Nicaragua, and Sudan	January 2, 2020	January 4, 2021
Honduras	January 5, 2020	January 4, 2021
Nepal	March 24, 2020	January 4, 2021

As outlined in Workforce Services Directive *Pathway to Services, Referral, and Enrollment* (WSD18-03 [PDF]), each Local Workforce Development Area is required to have an Authorization to Work policy. AJCC staff should consult with their local policy to determine when AJCC staff should verify an individual's authorization to work documentation.

For more information, please refer to the USCIS TPS webpage.

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