

I-130, Application To Petition For Alien Relative

United States Citizenship and Immigration Services



Petition for Alien Relative (I-130)

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Petition For Alien Relative

A citizen or lawful permanent resident of the United States may file Petition for Alien Relative (I-130), with U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) to establish the existence of a relationship to certain alien relatives who wish to immigrate to the United States.

Filing the I-130 is only the first step in helping a relative immigrate to the United States. Eligible family members must wait until there is a visa number available before they can apply to become a lawful permanent resident. If, at that time, your relative is present in the United States, they can apply for lawful permanent resident status through a process called <u>Adjustment of Status</u>. However, if your relative is outside of the United States, they must complete <u>consular processing</u> with the U.S. Department of State at an embassy or consulate to first get an immigrant visa and travel to the United states to be admitted as a lawful permanent resident.

Review the Petition for an Alien Relative (I-130) page for links to the paper forms.



Before You Start Your Application



Eligibility

1. If you are a U.S. citizen, you must file a separate Form I-130 for each eligible

I-130: Start Application

https://qa-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/start-petition





Official website of the Department of Homeland Security

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Completing your form online

Filing online

Submitting your application online is the same as mailing in a completed paper form. They both gather the same information and cost the same.

Complete the Getting Started section first

You should answer all questions in the Getting Started section first so we can best customize the rest of your online form experience.

Provide as many responses as you can

You should provide as many responses as you can. Incomplete fields or sections and missing information can slow down the process after you submit your form.

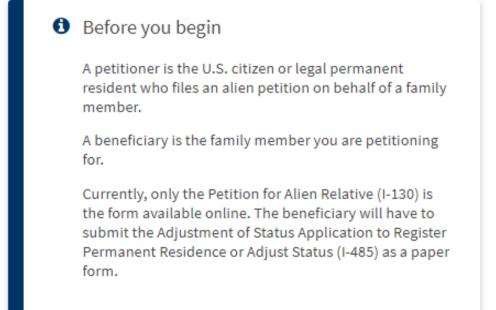
We will automatically save your responses

We will automatically save your information when you select next to go to a new

I-130: Getting Started – Preparer and interpreter information

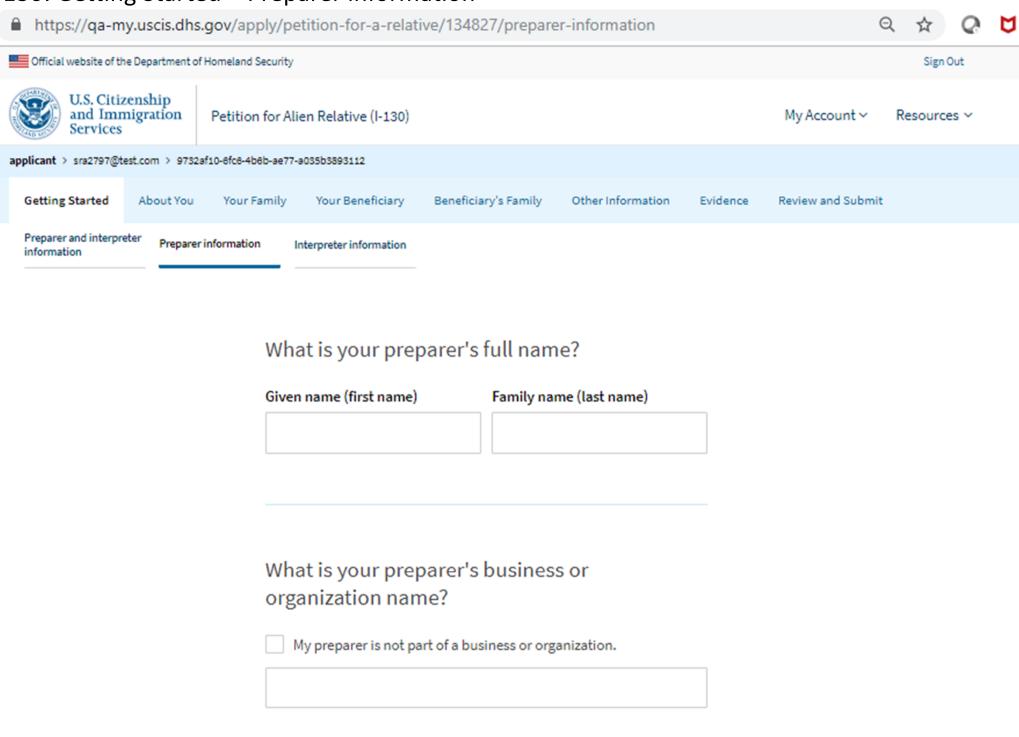


Preparer and interpreter information

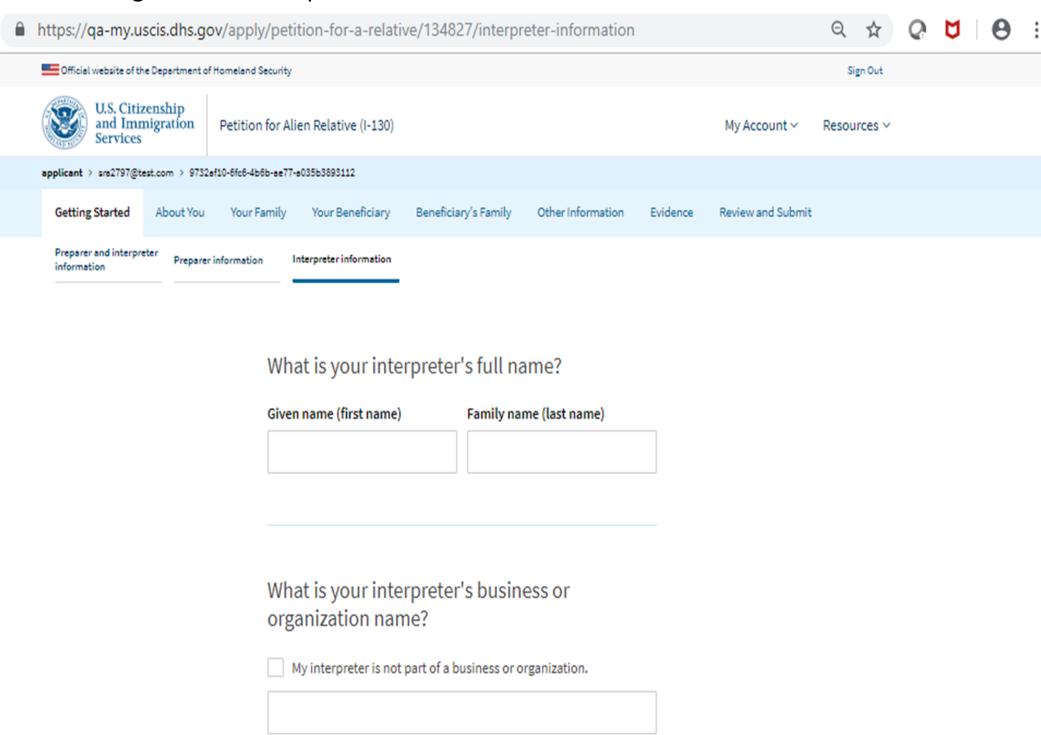


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I-130: Getting Started – Preparer information



I-130: Getting Started – Interpreter information



I-130: About You – Your name https://ga-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/134827/your-name Official website of the Department of Homeland Security U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Petition for Alien Relative (I-130) My Account ~ Resource Services plicant > sra2797@test.com > 9732af10-6fc6-4b6b-ae77-a035b3893112 **About You** Your Beneficiary Beneficiary's Family Other Information Review and Submit **Getting Started** Your Family Evidence Your Name Your contact information Your address history Describe yourself Your employment history Additional information What is your current legal name? Your current legal name is the name on your birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by a legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide any nicknames here. Given name (first name) Middle name (if applicable) Family name (last name)

I-130: About You – Your contact information



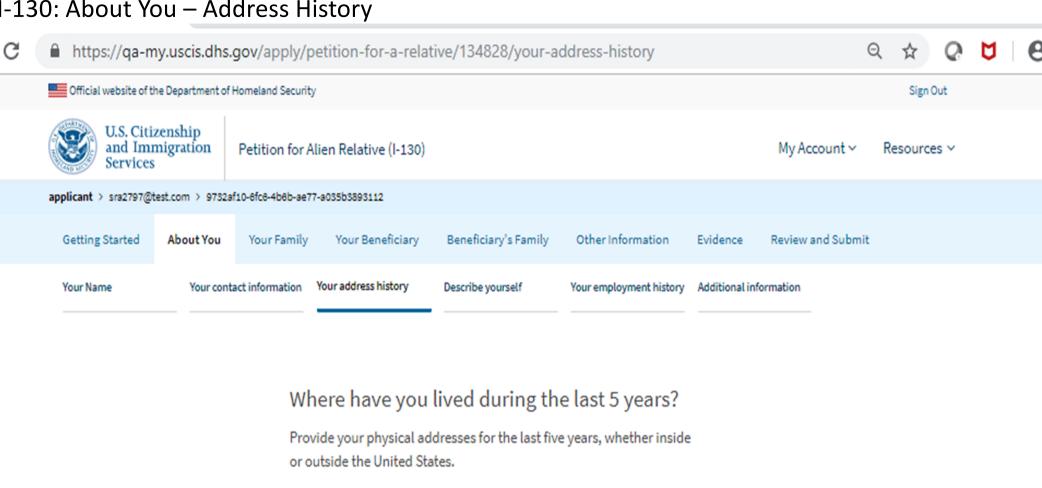
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Daytime telephone number	
Mobile telephone number	
This is the same as my da	ytime telephone number.
Email address	
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What is your current mailing address?

We will use your current mailing address to contact you throughout the

I-130: About You – Address History

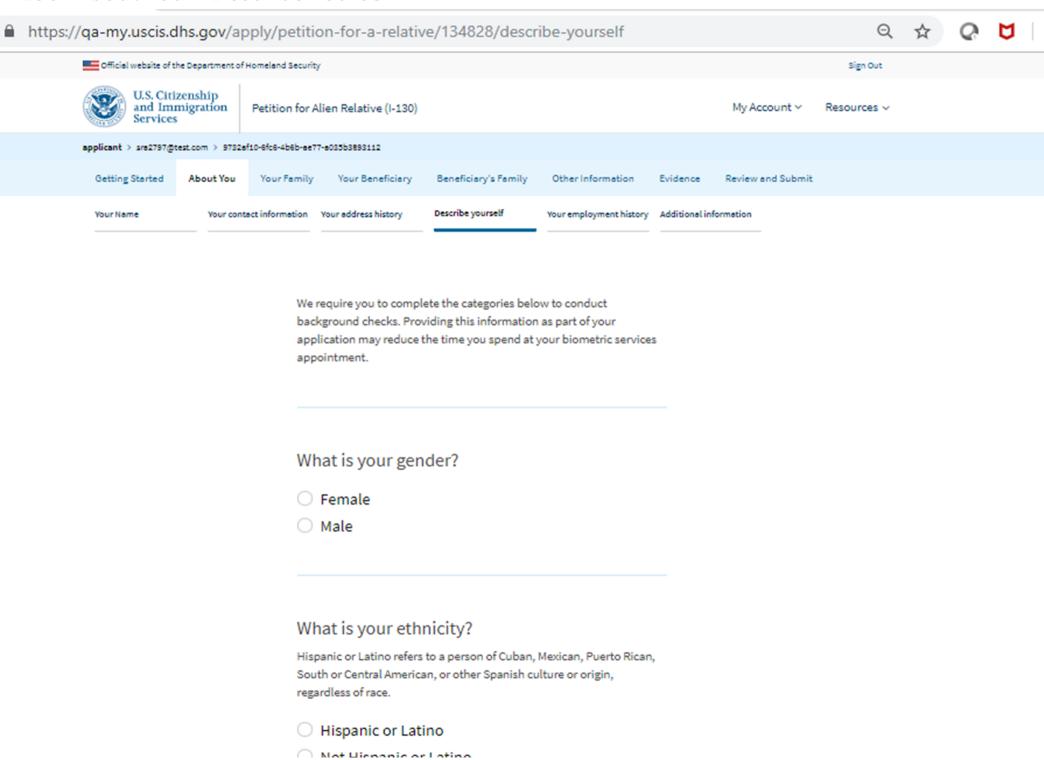


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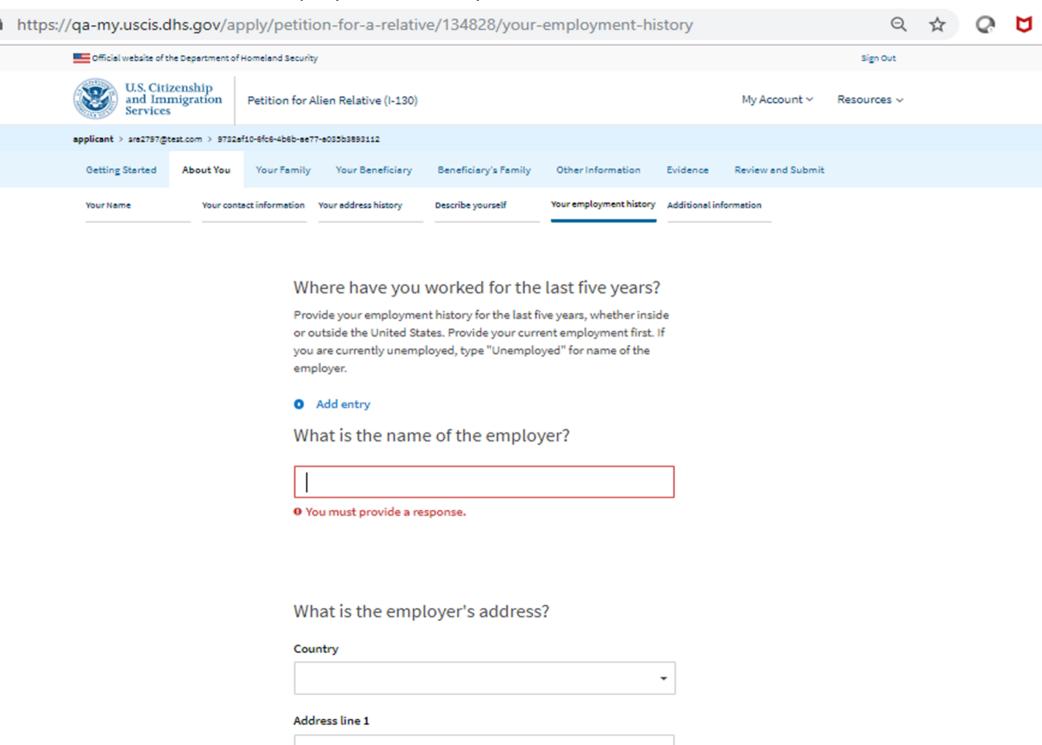
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Country

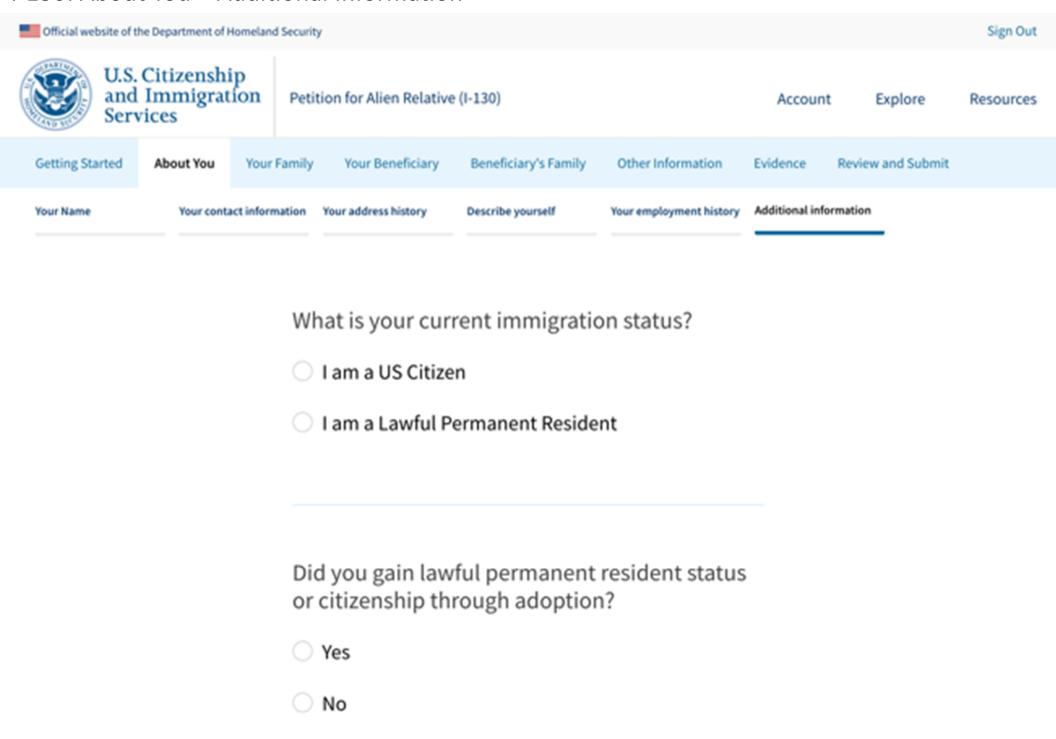
I-130: About You – Describe Yourself



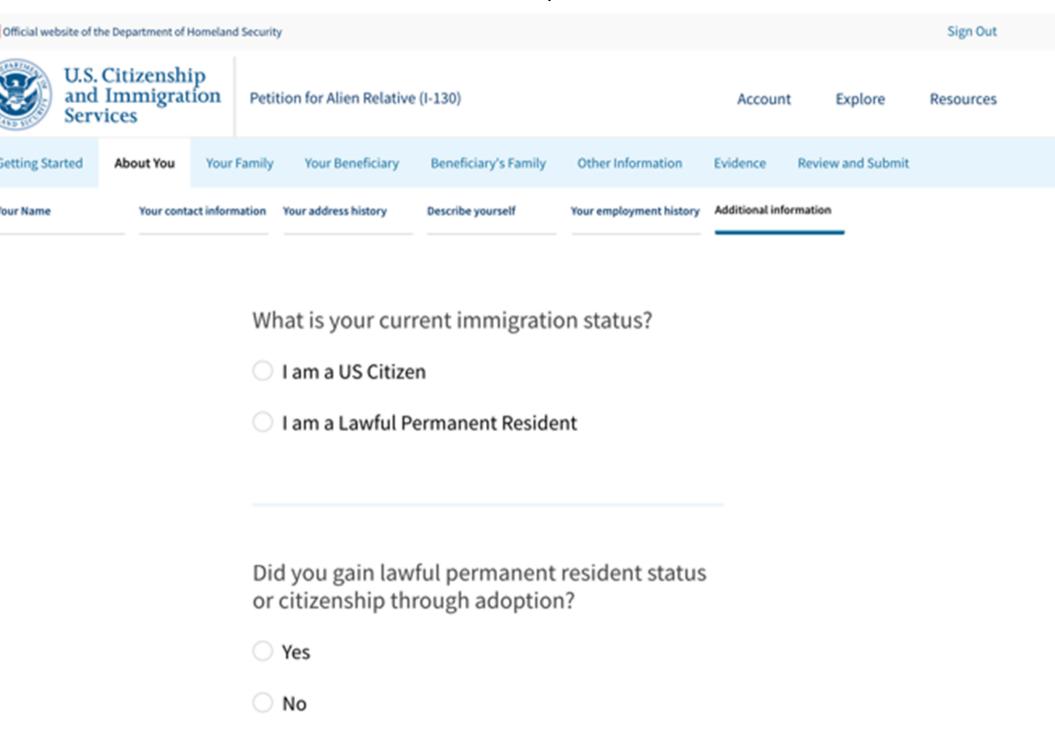
I-130: About You – Your Employment History



I-130: About You – Additional Information



I-130: About You – Additional Information – tooltip



I-130: About You – Your U.S. Citizen Information



Have you obtained a Certificate of Naturalization or a Certificate of Citizenship?

Yes

Parents

O No

I-130: About You – Your lawful permanent resident information



What is your class of admission?

Your class of admission is the 3-digit code for the immigrant category under which you were granted your permanent resident status.

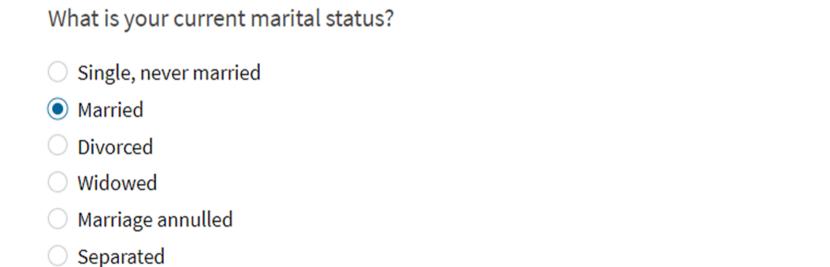
This code can be found on your Permanent Resident Card and usually consists of 1 or 2 letters followed by a number.

Where to find your code

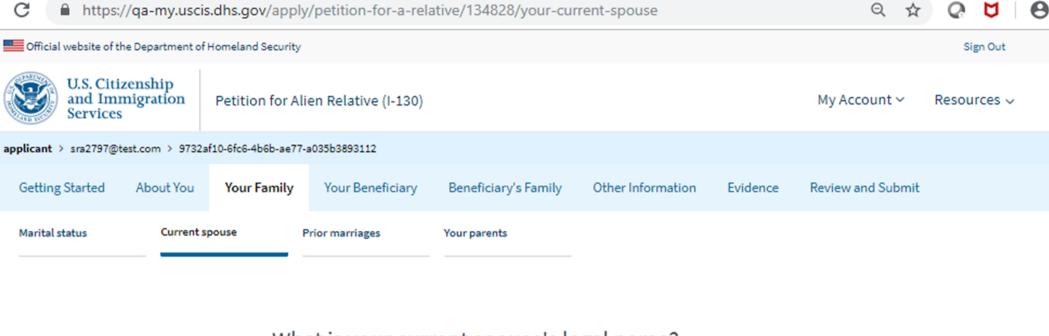




I-130: Your Family – Marital Status https://ga-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/134828/your-marital-status Official website of the Department of Homeland Security Sign Out U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Petition for Alien Relative (I-130) My Account ~ Resources v Services applicant > sra2797@test.com > 9732af10-6fc6-4b6b-ae77-a035b3893112 **Getting Started** About You Your Family Your Beneficiary Beneficiary's Family Other Information Evidence Review and Submit Marital status Current spouse Prior marriages Your parents



I-130: Your Family – Current Spouses



What is your current spouse's legal name?

Your spouse's legal name is the name on his or her birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by a legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here.

Given name (first name)	Middle name (if applicable)		
Family name (last name)			

I-130: Your Family – Prior Marriages



Your prior marriages

List all of your prior spouses below

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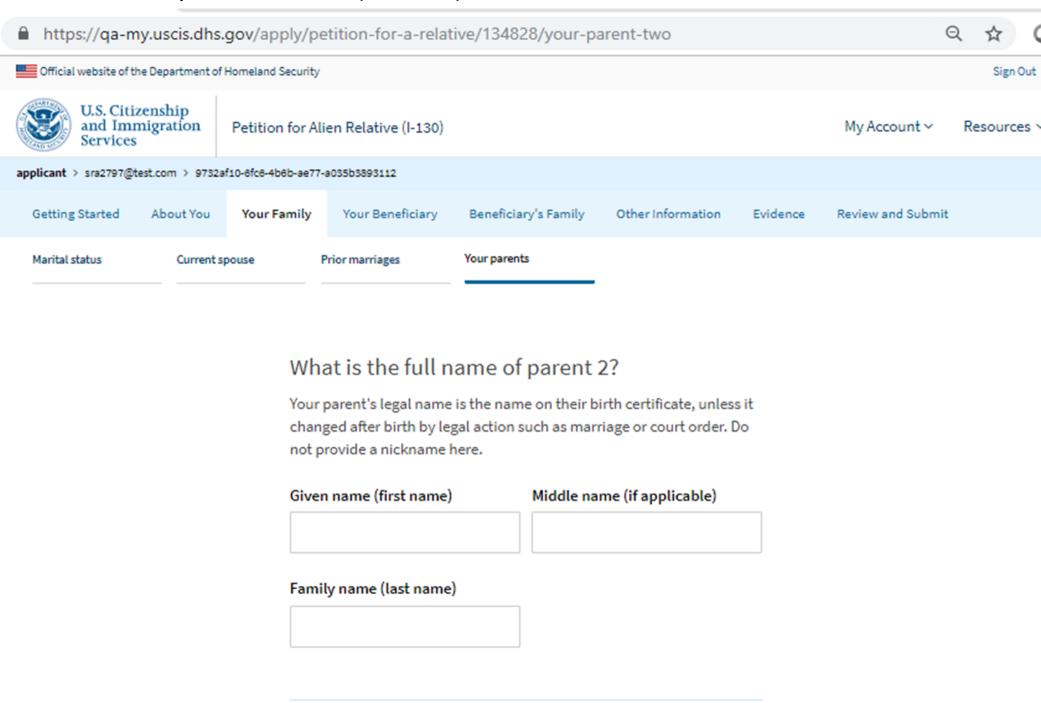
What is your prior spouse's legal name?

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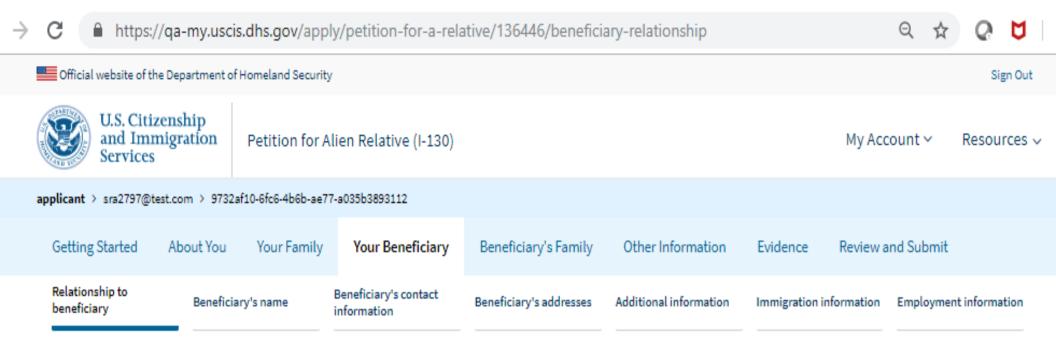
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I-130: Your Family – Your Parents (Parent 1) https://ga-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/134828/your-parent-one Official website of the Department of Homeland Security Sign Out U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Petition for Alien Relative (I-130) My Account ~ Resources > Services applicant > sra2797@test.com > 9732af10-6fc6-4b6b-ae77-a035b3893112 Getting Started Your Family Your Beneficiary Beneficiary's Family Other Information Evidence Review and Submit About You Your parents Marital status Prior marriages Current spouse What is the full name of parent 1? Your parent's legal name is the name on their birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here. Given name (first name) Middle name (if applicable) Family name (last name)

I-130: Your Family – Your Parents (Parent 2)

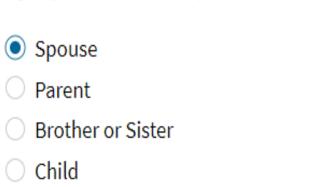


I-130: Your Beneficiary—Relationship to Beneficiary (Spouse)

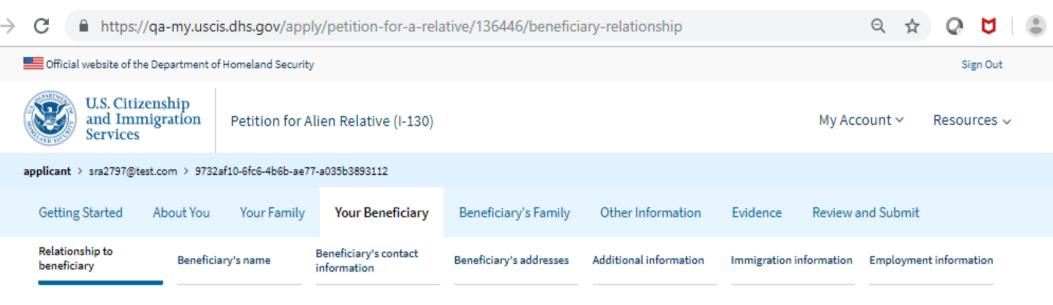


For whom are you filing this petition?

Select the relationship the beneficiary has to you (e.g., if the beneficiary is your parent, select "Parent").



I-130: Your Beneficiary—Relationship to Beneficiary (Parent)



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Brother or Sister

Child

Which best describes your relationship?

I-130: Your Beneficiary—Relationship to Beneficiary (Child)



For whom are you filing this petition?

Select the relationship the beneficiary has to you (e.g., if the beneficiary is your parent, select "Parent").

- Parent
- Brother or Sister

Child

Which best describes your relationship?

Select the option that best describes your relationship with your child.

I-130: Your Beneficiary—Relationship to Beneficiary (Brother or Sister)

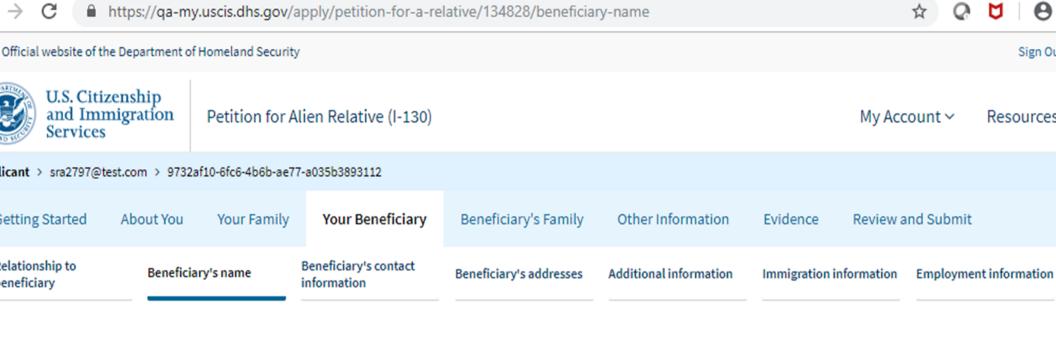


For whom are you filing this petition?

Select the relationship the beneficiary has to you (e.g., if the beneficiary is your parent, select "Parent").

- Spouse
- Parent
- Brother or Sister
- Child

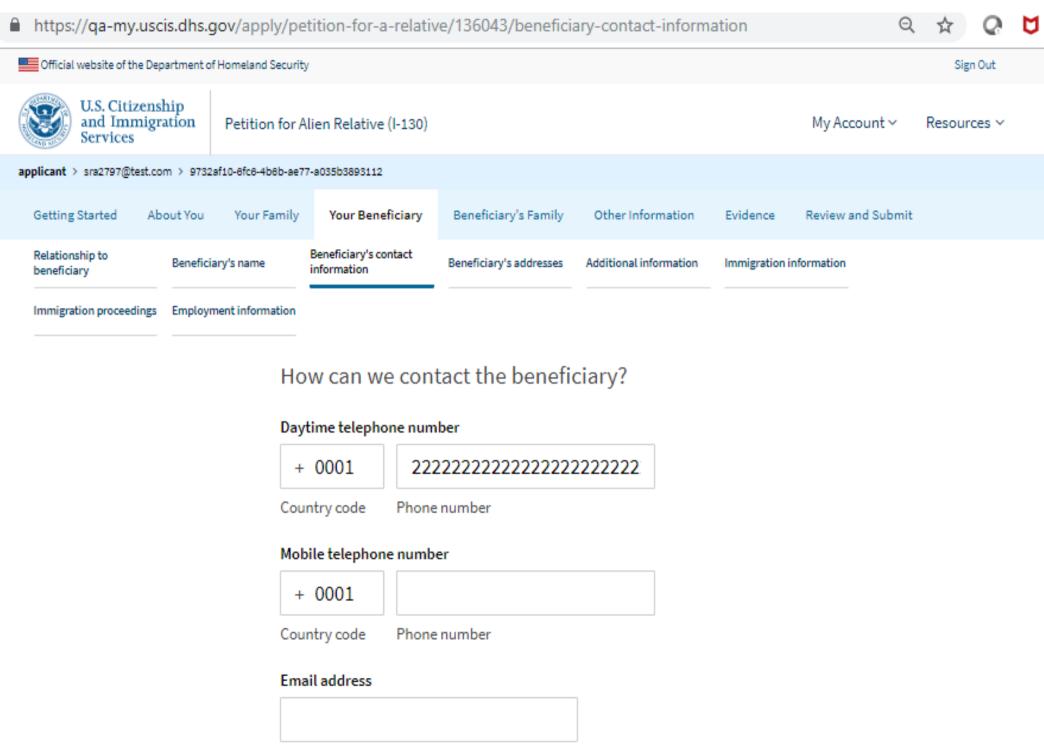
I-130: Your Beneficiary – Beneficiary's Name



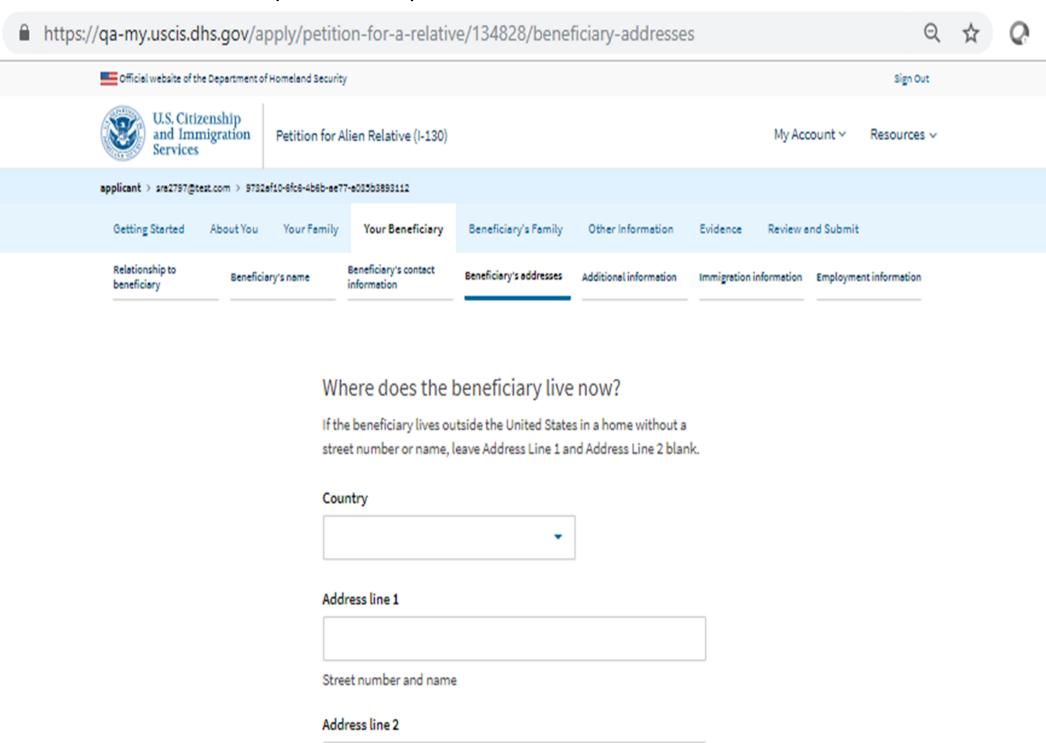
What is the beneficiary's current legal name?

Given name (first name)	Middle name (if applicable)
- " " " "	
Family name (last name)	

I-130: Your Beneficiary-Beneficiary's Contact Information



I-130: Your Beneficiary-Beneficiary's Addresses



I-130: Your Beneficiary – Additional Information



What is the beneficiary's USCIS Online Account Number?

Providing the beneficiary's unique USCIS Online Account Number (OAN) helps us manage their account. The beneficiary may already have an OAN if they previously filed <u>certain paper forms</u> and received an Account Access Notice in the mail. You can find the OAN at the top of the notice; it is not the same as an A-Number.

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What is the beneficiary's U.S. Social Security

I-130: Your Beneficiary – Additional Information



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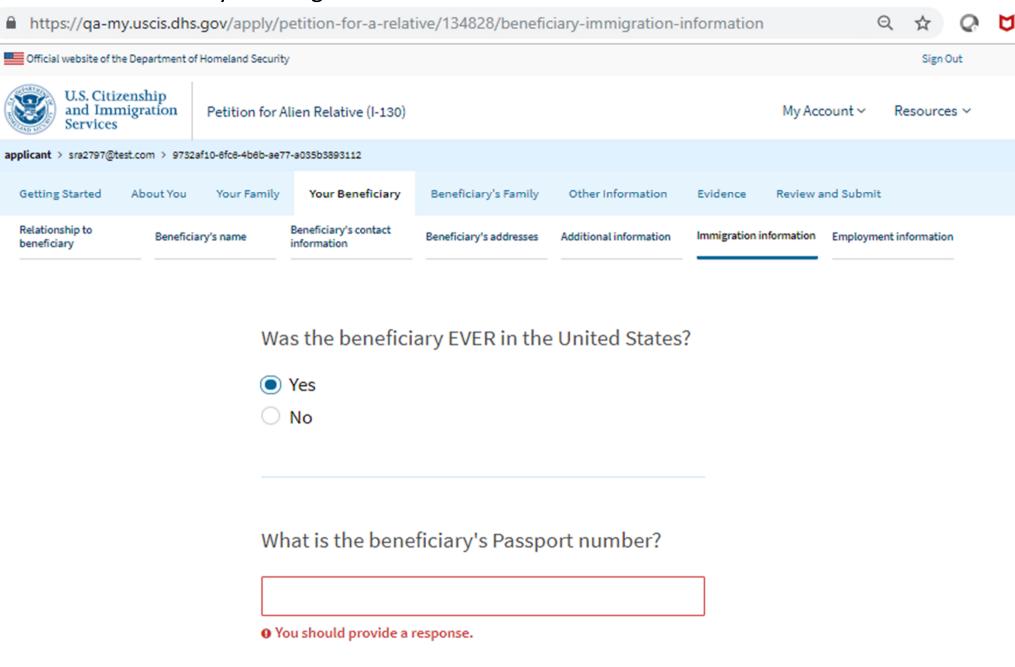
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I-90, I-130, I-485, I-821, I-821D, N-336, N-400, N-565, N-600, N-600K

What is the beneficiary's U.S. Social Security

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I-130: Your Beneficiary – Immigration Information



I-130: Your Beneficiary – Immigration Information (Class of Admission)



What was the beneficiary's class of admission?

The beneficiary's class of admission is the 3-digit code for the immigrant category under which they were granted their permanent resident status.

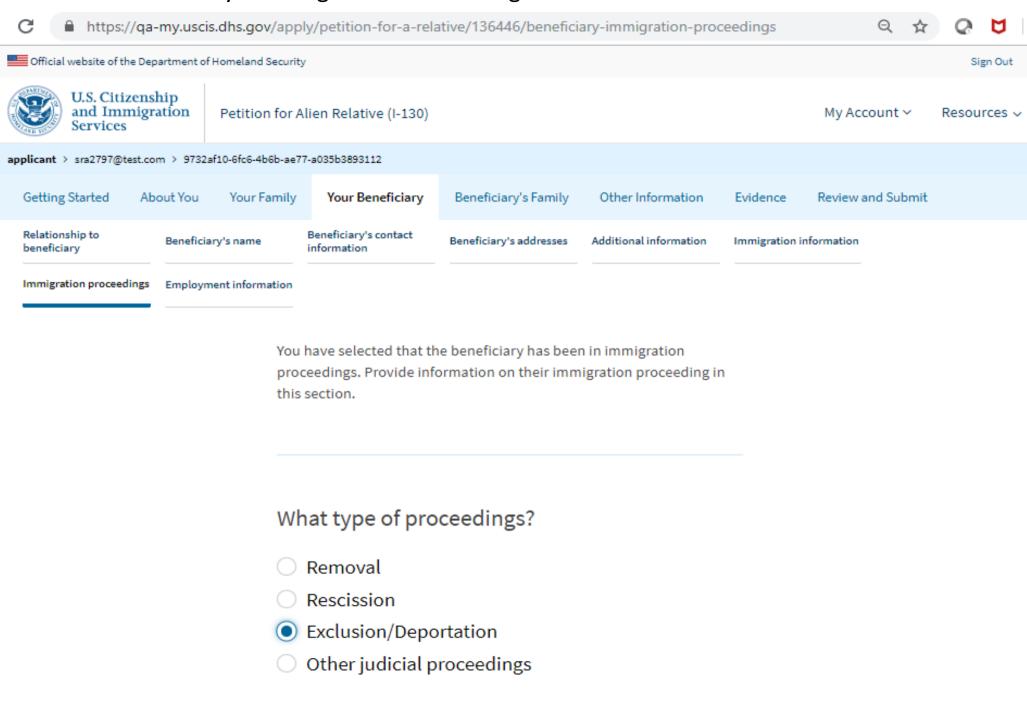
This code can be found on their Permanent Resident Card and usually consists of 1 or 2 letters followed by a number.

Where to find the beneficiary's code



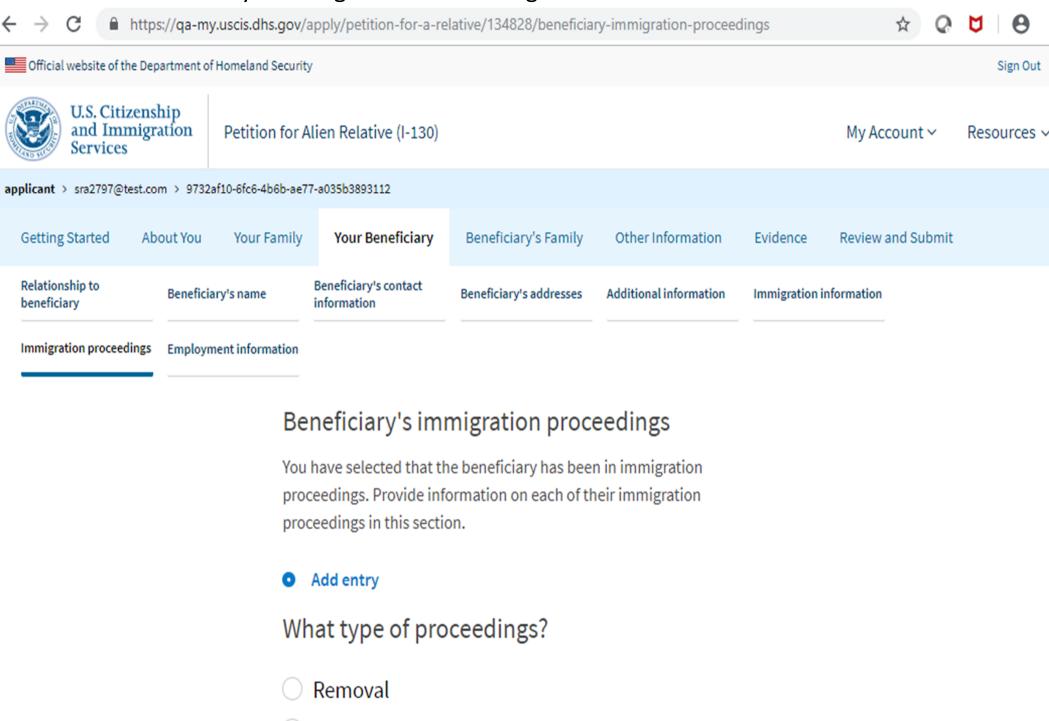


I-130: Your Beneficiary – Immigration Proceedings

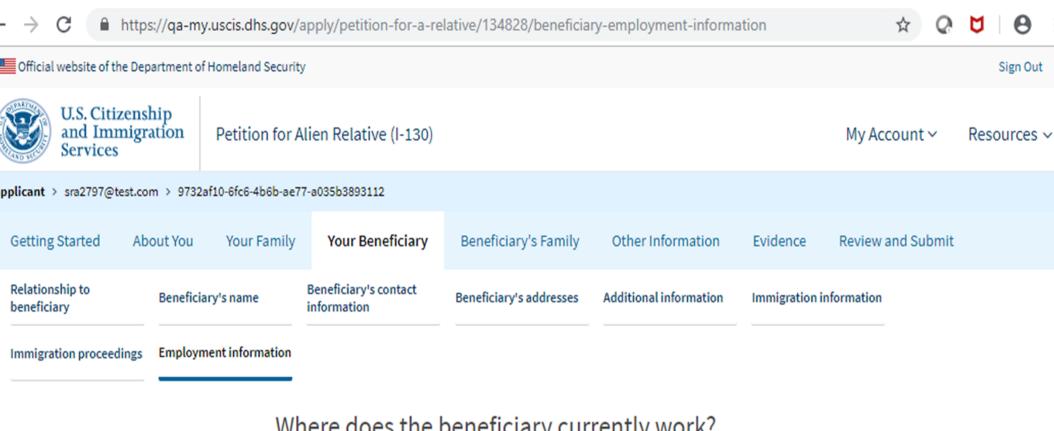


I-130: Your Beneficiary – Immigration Proceedings

Rescission



I-130: Your Beneficiary – Employment Information



Where does the beneficiary currently work?

Provide the beneficiary's current employment information, even if they are employed outside of the United States. If the beneficiary is currently unemployed, type unemployed in the name of current employer field.

Name of current employer				
Country				

I-130: Beneficiary's Family— Marital Status



What is your beneficiary's current marital status?

If your beneficiary is also your current spouse, answer the questions in the following section about yourself.

- Single, never married
- Married
- Divorced
- Widowed
- Marriage annulled
- Separated

I-130: Beneficiary's Family – Current Spouse



What is your beneficiary's current spouse's legal name?

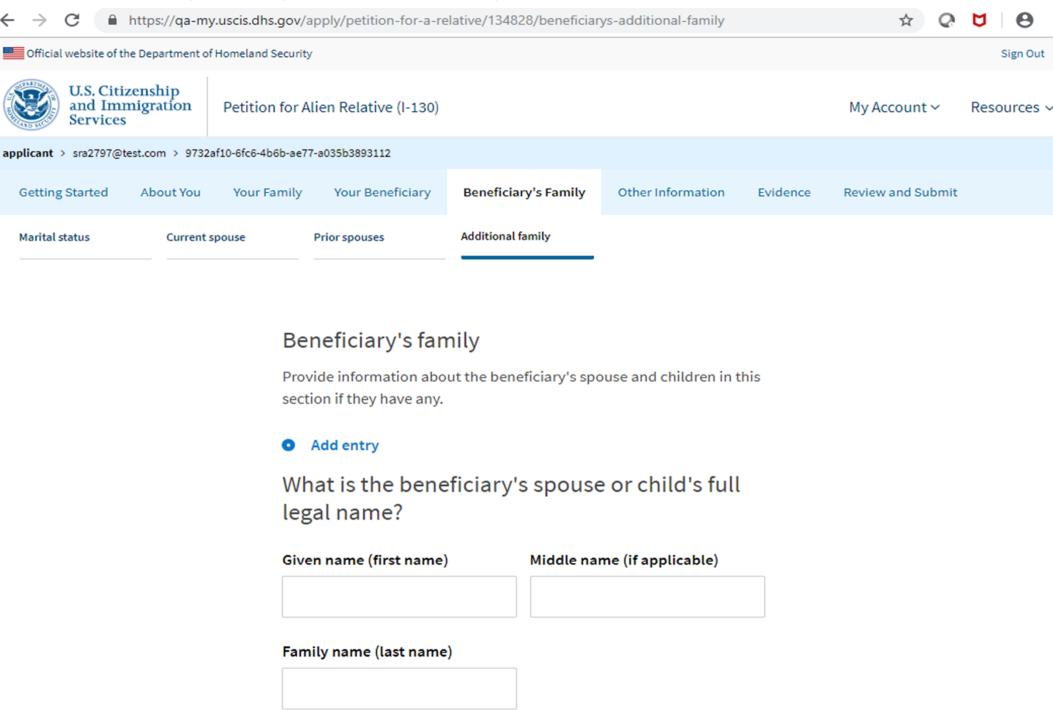
Your beneficiary's spouse's legal name is the name on his or her birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by a legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here.

Given name (first name)	Middle name (if applicable)		
Family name (last name)			

On what date did your beneficiary marry their current spouse?

I-130: Beneficiary's Family – Prior Spouses https://ga-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/134828/beneficiarys-prior-marriages Official website of the Department of Homeland Security Sign Out U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Petition for Alien Relative (I-130) My Account ~ Resources > Services applicant > sra2797@test.com > 9732af10-6fc6-4b6b-ae77-a035b3893112 Your Beneficiary Beneficiary's Family **Getting Started** About You Your Family Other Information Evidence Review and Submit Marital status Prior spouses Additional family Current spouse Beneficiary's prior marriages List all of the beneficiary's prior spouses below Add entry What is the beneficiary's prior spouse's legal name? The beneficiary's prior spouse's legal name is the name on his or her birth certificate, unless it changed after birth by legal action such as marriage or court order. Do not provide a nickname here. Given name (first name) Middle name (if applicable)

I-130: Beneficiary's Family – Additional Family



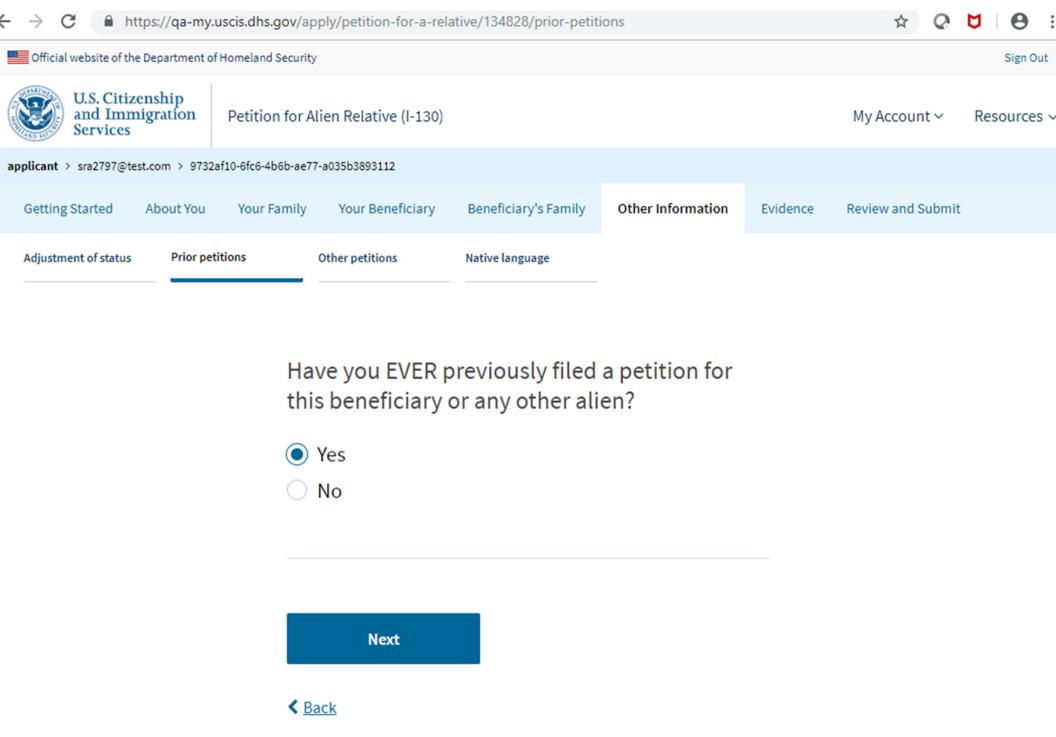
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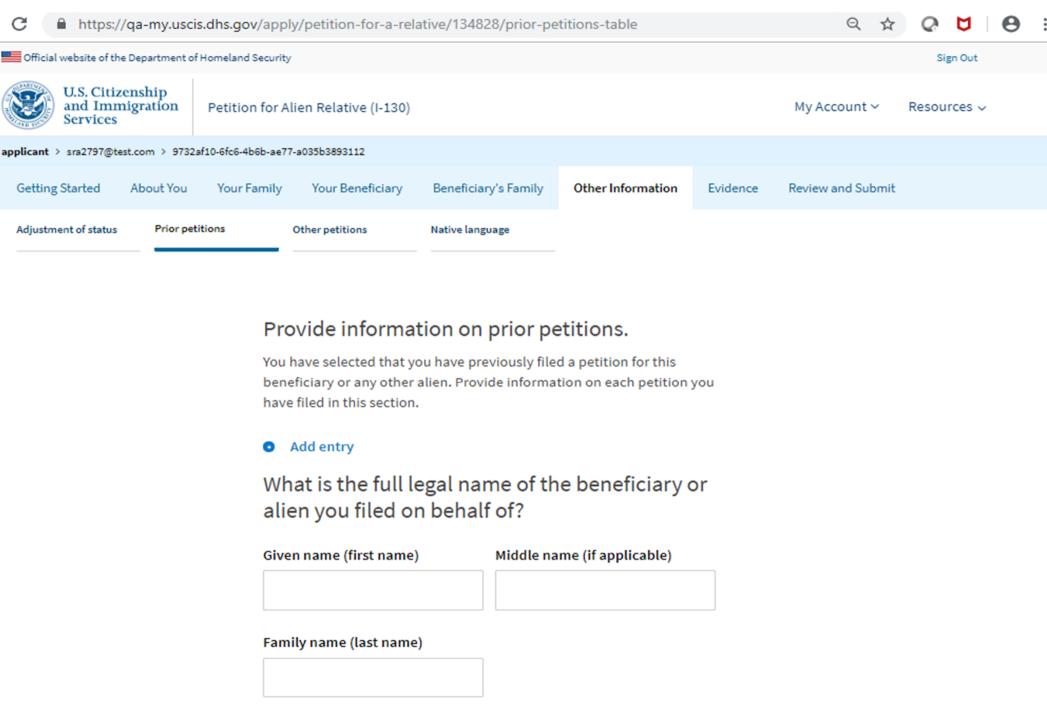
At which USCIS office will the beneficiary apply for adjustment of status to lawful permanent resident?

City or town			
State			
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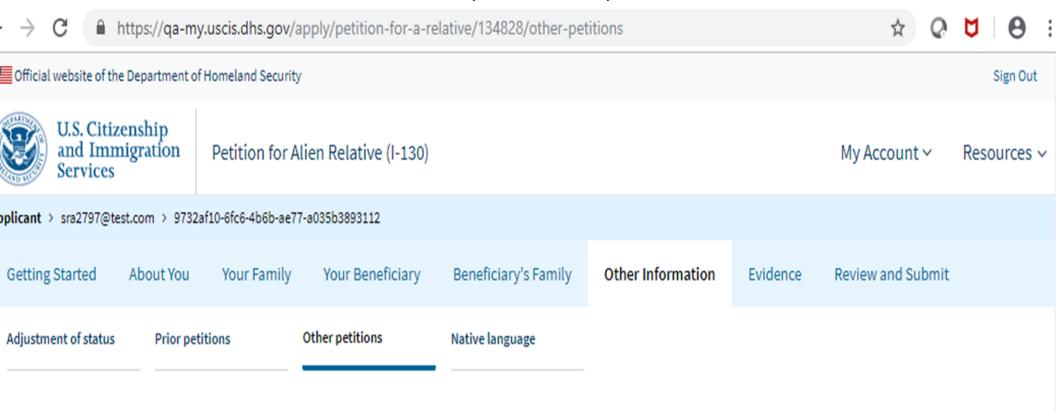
I-130: Other Information – Prior Petitions



I-130: Other Information – Other Petitions



I-130: Other Information – Prior Petitions (Information)



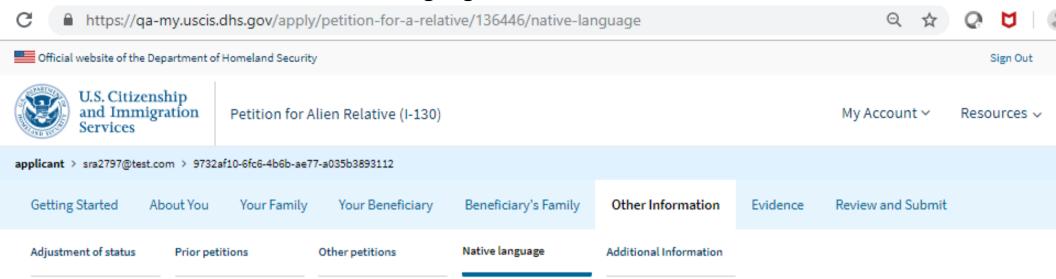
Are you submitting separate petitions for other relatives?

If you are also submitting separate petitions for other relatives, provide the names of and your relationship to each relative in this section.

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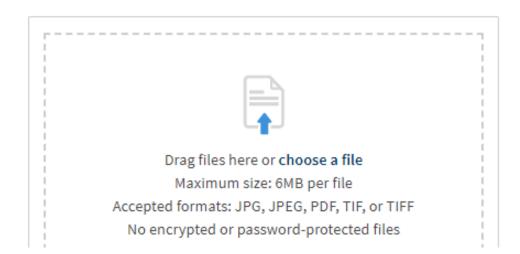
What is your relative's full legal name?

I-130: Other Information – Native Language

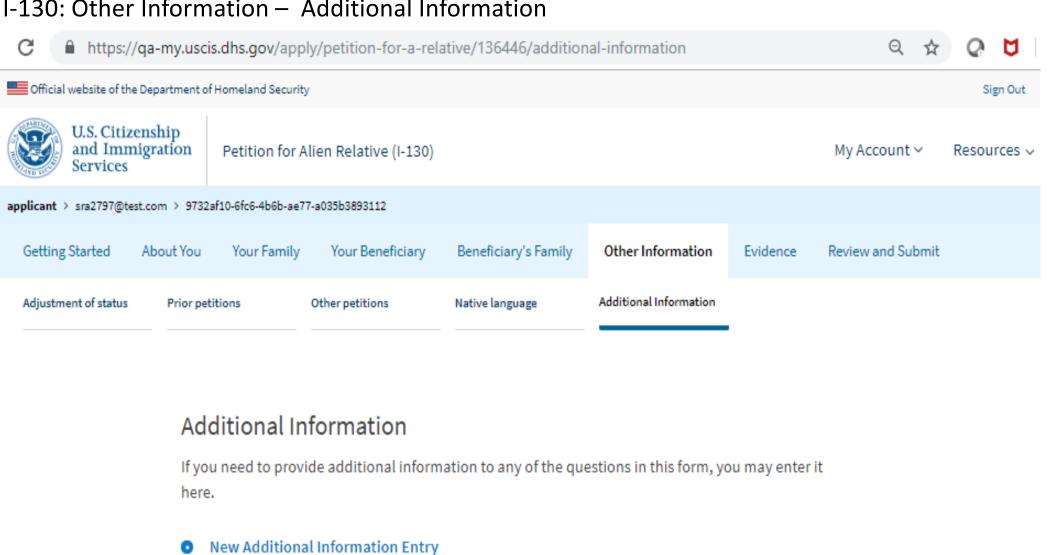


Information about beneficiary in their native written language

If the beneficiary's native written language does not use Roman letters, upload a document with his or her name and foreign address in their native written language.



I-130: Other Information – Additional Information



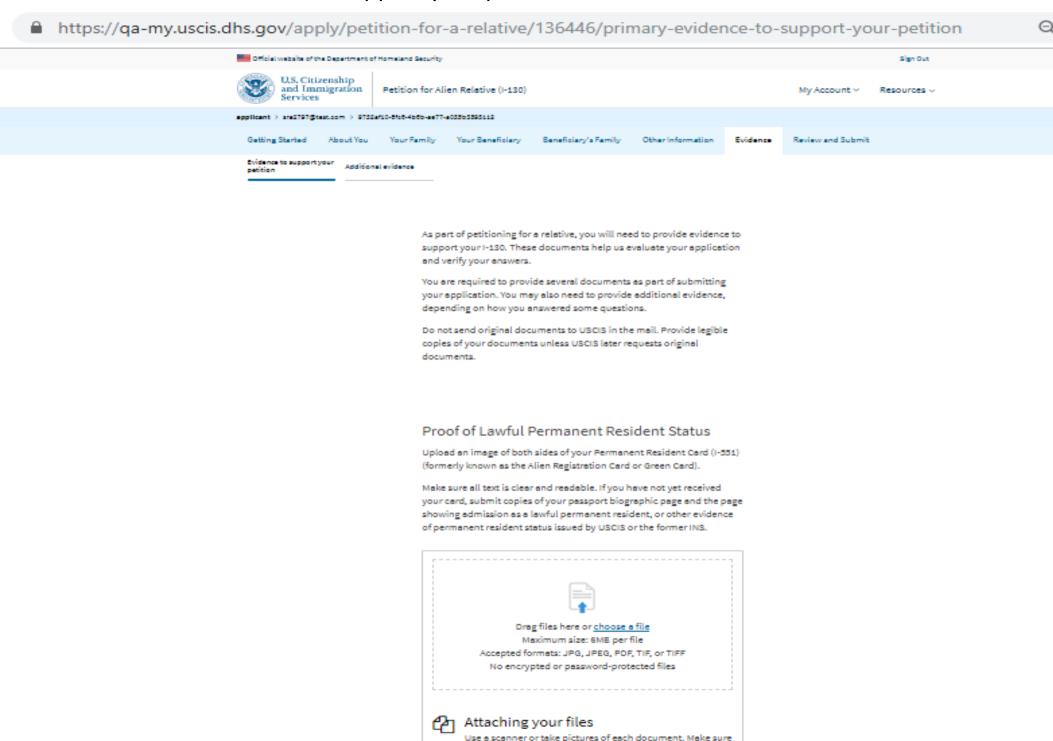
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Marital status

I-130: Evidence – Evidence to support your petition







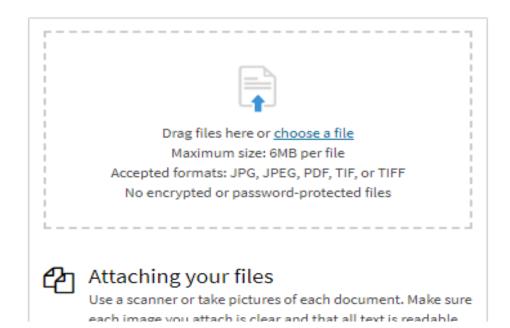


2" x 2" photo of your spouse

Upload a recent color photograph of your spouse that measures 2 inches by 2 inches, with their face measuring 1 inch to 13/8 inch from your chin to the top of their head. Their eyes should be between 1 1/8 inch and 13/8 inch from the bottom of the photo.

Make sure their whole face is visible, they are facing the camera directly, and the background is white or off-white. Their head must be bare, unless contrary to their religious beliefs. Also, include an image of the back of the photograph with their name and A-Number written in pen or pencil.

If you need help understanding the photo requirements or want to resize, rotate, or crop your photo, you can use to the Department of State's photo composition tools.

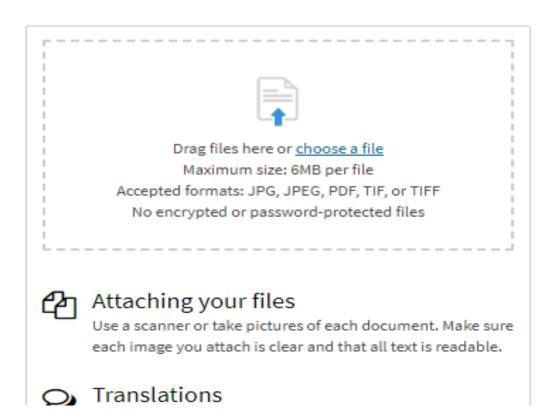


https://qa-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/136446/primary-evidence-to-support-your-petition

Proof of legal name change

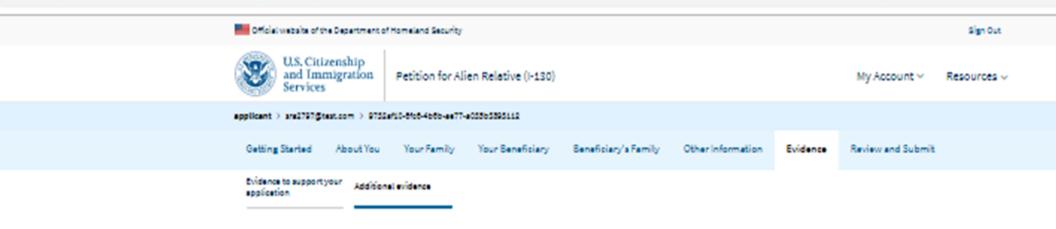
If either you or the person you are filing for is using a name that is not the same name shown on the relevant documents, you must file your petition with copies of the legal documents reflecting the name change, such as:

- · A marriage certificate
- · An adoption decree
- A court order



I-130: Evidence – Additional evidence

https://qa-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/134828/secondary-evidence-to-support-your-petition



If a required document is unavailable, you must provide a typed or printed explanation of the reasons that document is unavailable and submit secondary evidence to establish eligibility. Secondary evidence must overcome the unavailability of the required documents. USCIS may request an original typed or printed statement from the appropriate government or other legal authority to support your claim that the documents are unavailable.

The following types of secondary evidence may be submitted to establish eligibility:

- Religious record
- School records
- Census records
- Written statements

Religious record

I-130: Evidence – Additional evidence (continued)

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Affidavits

If records like those described above are not available, then you may submit two or more written statements from individuals who were living at the time and who have personal knowledge of the event you are trying to prove, such as the date and place of birth, marriage, or death. The individuals making the written statements do not have to be U.S. citizens.

Each written statement must contain the following information regarding the individual making the written statement::

- · Full legal name
- Address
- Place of birth
- Date of birth
- · Detailed information about the event
- Detailed information explaining how the individual acquired personal knowledge of the event

Each individual's written statement must include the following declaration:

"I declare (or certify, verify, or state) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on [date], [signature]."

I-130: Review and Submit – Review Your Petition (with a Hard Stop)



Review your petition

Check your application before you submit

We will review your application to check for accuracy and completeness before you submit it.

We encourage you to provide as many responses as you can throughout the application, to the best of your knowledge. Missing information can slow down the review process after you submit your application.

You can return to this page to review your application as many times as you want before you submit it.

Your fee

1 Your form filing fee is: \$535.00

I-130: Review and Submit – Review Your Petition

Preparer signature

Review

Summary

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Your Signature

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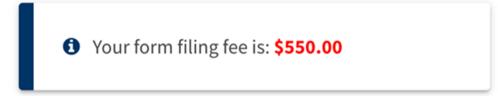
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Interpreter signature

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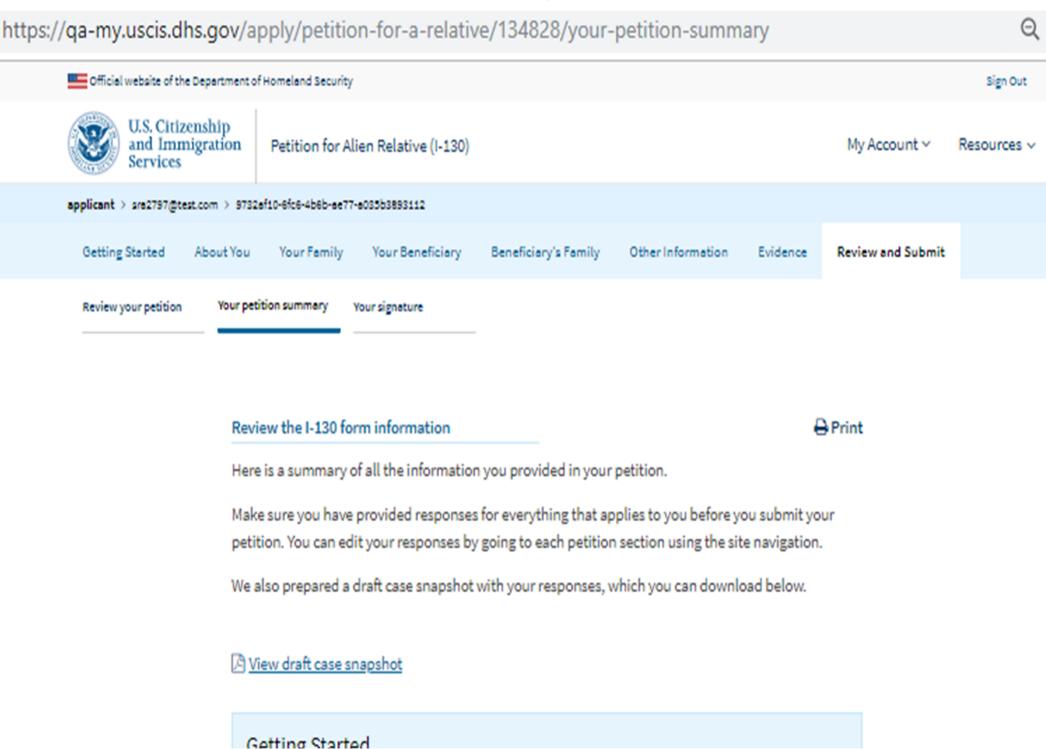
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Your fee



Refund Policy: USCIS does not refund fees, regardless of any action we

I-130: Review and Submit -Your Petition Summary



I-130: Review and Submit –Your Petition Summary (continued)

https://qa-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/134828/your-petition-summary

Your U.S. citizen information	
How did you obtain U.S. citizenship?	-
Have you obtained a Certificate of Naturalization or a Certificate of Citizenship?	-
What is your Certificate Number?	-
Where was the Certificate issued?	-
On what date was the Certificate issued?	-
Your lawful permanent resident information	
What is your class of admission?	-
What was your date of admission?	-
City or Town	-
State	-

I-130: Review and Submit –Your Petition Summary (continued)

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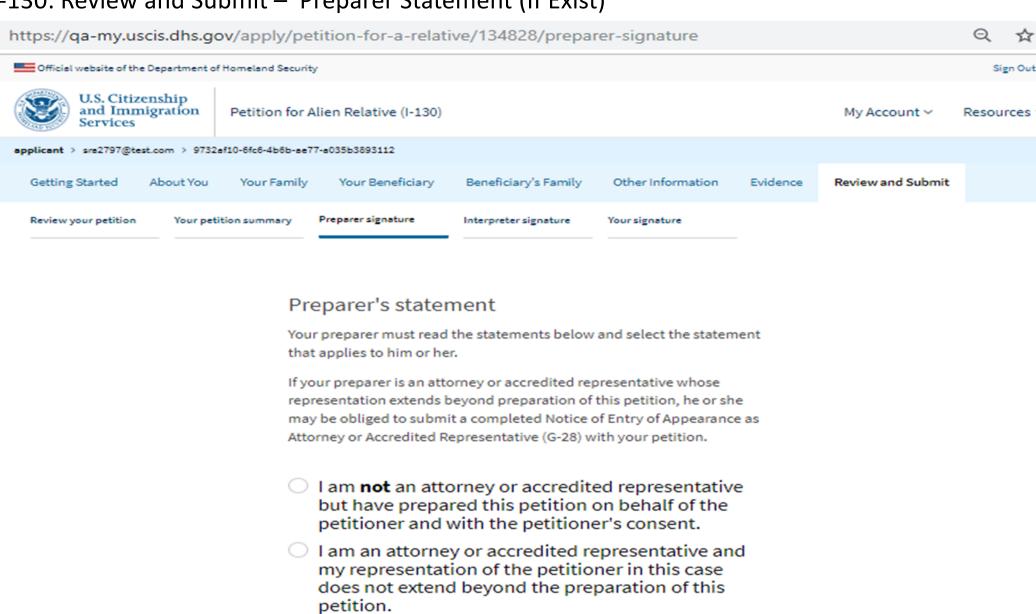
Beneficiary's name	
What is the beneficiary's current legal name?	sa
Provide all other names the beneficiary has ever used, including aliases, maiden name, and nicknames. If no other names were used, leave this section blank.	s ea o
Beneficiary's contact information	
Daytime telephone number	+0001
Mobile telephone number	+0001
Email address	-
Beneficiary's addresses	
Where does the beneficiary live now?	-
Where in the United States does the	-

I-130: Review and Submit –Your Petition Summary (continued)

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When did the beneficiery's current employment begin?	-
Beneficiary's Family	
Meritel status	
What is your beneficiary's current marital status?	Single, never married
How many times has your beneficiary been married?	-
Current spouse	
What is the legal name of your beneficiary's current spouse?	-
On what date did your beneficiary marry their current spouse?	-
Where were your beneficiary and their current spouse married?	-
State	-
Province	-

I-130: Review and Submit – Preparer Statement (If Exist)



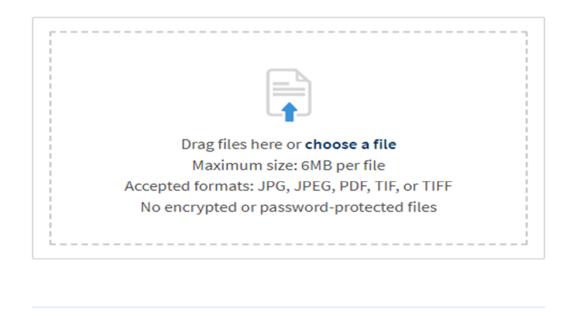
 I am an attorney or accredited representative and my representation of the petitioner in this case extends beyond the preparation of this petition.

I-130: Review and Submit – Preparer Signature Upload (If Exist)



Preparer's signature upload

Scan and upload your preparer's completed signature page below.



I-130: Review and Submit – Interpreter Certification (If Exist)



Interpreter's certification and signature

Your interpreter must read and agree to the certification below.



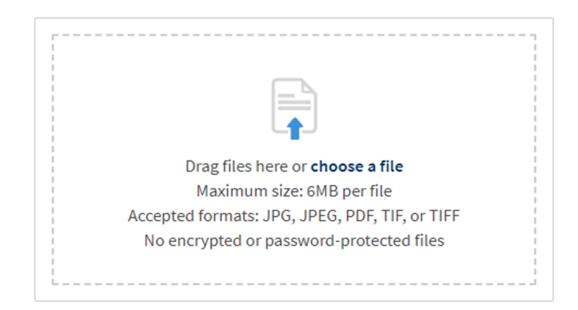
I certify, under penalty of perjury that: I am fluent in English and the language provided in the Getting Started section of this petition, and I have read to this petitioner every question and instruction on this petition and his or her answer to every question. The petitioner informed me that he or she understands

I-130: Review and Submit – Interpreter Signature Upload (If Exist)



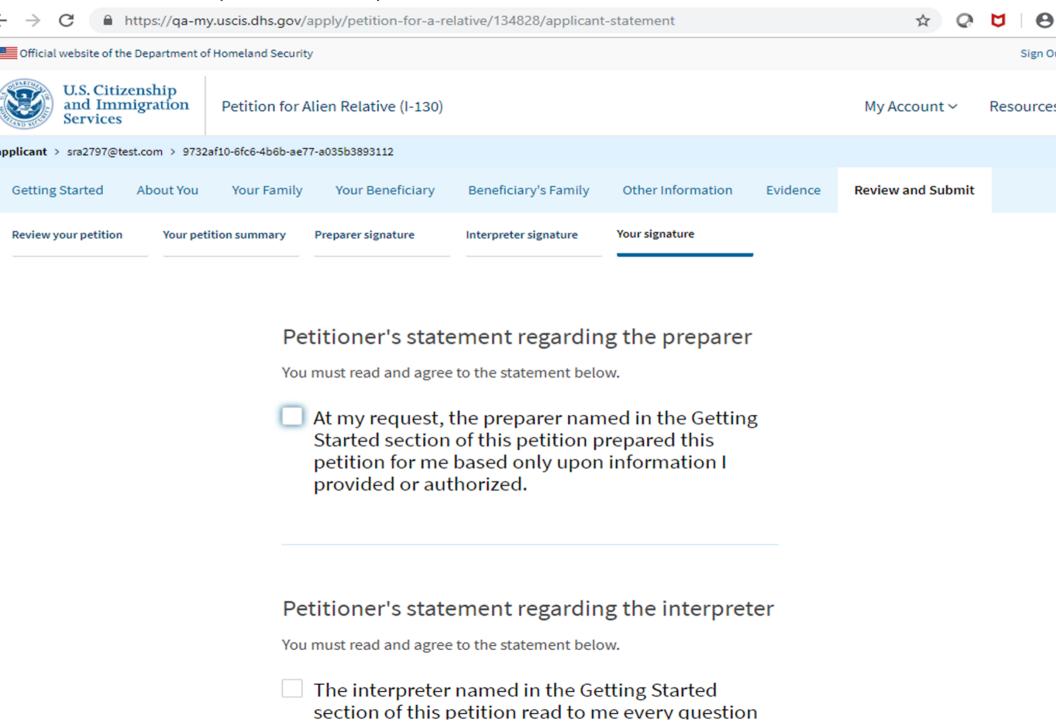
Interpreter's signature upload

Scan and upload your interpreter's completed signature page below.



I-130: Review and Submit – Your Signature

Note: with Interpreter and Preparer



I-130: Review and Submit – Your Signature Note: without Interpreter and Preparer https://ga-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/134828/applicant-statement Official website of the Department of Homeland Security U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Petition for Alien Relative (I-130) My Account ~ Resource Services applicant > sra2797@test.com > 9732af10-6fc6-4b6b-ae77-a035b3893112 Your Beneficiary Beneficiary's Family **Getting Started** About You Your Family Other Information Evidence Review and Submit Review your petition Your petition summary Your signature Petitioner's statement You must read and agree to the statement below. I can read and understand English, and have read and understand every question and instruction on this application, as well as my answer to every question.

I-130: Review and Submit – Your Signature



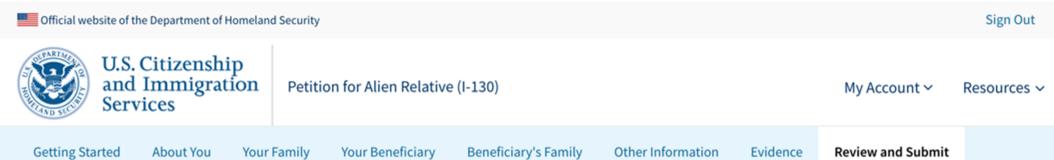
Petitioner's certification and signature

You must read and agree to the certification below. If you knowingly and willfully falsify or conceal a material fact or submit a false document with your petition, we can deny your petition and may deny any other immigration benefit. You may also face criminal prosecution and penalties provided by law.



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

I-130: Review and Submit - Pay and Submit



Review Summary Preparer signature Interpreter signature Your Signature

Pay for and submit your petition

The final step to submit your Petition for Alien Relative (I-130) is to pay the required fee.

Your petition fee is: \$550.00

Refund Policy: By continuing this transaction, you agree that you are paying for a government service and that the filing fee, biometric services fee and all related financial transactions are final and not refundable, regardless of any action USCIS takes on an application, petition or request, or how long USCIS takes to reach a decision. You must submit all fees in the exact amounts.



Pay.gov screens

I-130: Confirmation— Payment unsuccessful

https://qa-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/136043/card-declined







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Sign Out



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Your payment failed because your credit or debit card was declined.

You can try again now to sign and submit your petition or save your petition and exit.

Sign and submit

Save and close



I-130: Confirmation— Payment successful

https://qa-my.uscis.dhs.gov/apply/petition-for-a-relative/136344/submit-confirmation







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