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**From:** U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services <uscis@public.govdelivery.com>  
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On Jan. 20, 2021, President Biden issued a [Memorandum to the Secretary of Homeland Security](#) extending Deferred Enforced Departure (DED) and employment authorization through June 30, 2022, for eligible Liberians and certain other persons without nationality who had DED as of Jan. 10, 2021.

USCIS will publish a Federal Register notice as soon as possible to implement the president's memorandum, including the continuation of appropriate employment authorization documents.

This action will allow DED-covered Liberians to maintain work authorization while they apply for adjustment of status under the Liberian Refugee Immigration Fairness (LRIF) law.

### **For More Information**

We will plan further public engagements and other outreach opportunities regarding DED and LRIF to provide information and answer questions from the public.

For more information about filing for adjustment of status under the LRIF, see the [LRIF page](#).

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