

Highlights of the 2025 Edition

The 2025 edition of *Immigration Law and the Family* includes discussion of:

- New USCIS rule which requires submittal of Form I-693 medical report with an I-485 application for adjustment of status
- Efforts by the Trump Administration to terminate CHNV parole for Cubans, Haitians, Nicaraguans, and Venezuelans as well as discussion of litigation to challenge these terminations
- Efforts by the Trump Administration to eliminate or limit temporary protected status for various nationalities
- Current status of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals in light of the Fifth Circuit's decision in *Texas v. United States*, 126 F.4th 392 (5th Cir. 2025)
- USCIS Policy Alert regarding criteria USCIS must use in determining a benefit requestor's legal name
- Amended USCIS rule permanently increasing the automatic extension period for employment authorization to up to 540 days for timely filed EAD renewal applications pending on or filed after May 4, 2022
- SCOTUS decision in *Bouarfa v. Mayorkas*, 604 U.S. 6, 145 S. Ct. 24, 220 L. Ed. 2d 245 (2024), holding that federal courts do not have jurisdiction to review revocations of previously approved visa petitions
- BIA decision *Matter of Furtado*, 28 I. & N. Dec. 794, 2024 WL 2287635 (B.I.A. 2024), which sets forth criteria that an I-130 petition for an adopted child must meet when the child is from a country that is a party to the Hague Convention
- The Trump Administration's termination of the Central American Minors Refugee/Parole Program