



# PAROLE-IN-PLACE FOR SPOUSES OF U.S. CITIZENS AND THEIR CHILDREN

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On June 18, 2024, President Biden announced a pathway to permanent residency and ultimately citizenship for undocumented spouses of U.S. citizens. The benefit would extend to the applicant's children who are physically present in the U.S. without admission or parole as of June 17, 2024.

## ELIGIBILITY

### TO QUALIFY, AN APPLICANT MUST:

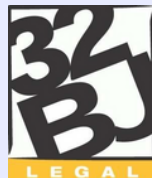
- BE IN THE US WITHOUT ADMISSION OR PAROLE
- HAVE A LEGALLY VALID MARRIAGE TO A US CITIZEN AS OF JUNE 17, 2024
- BE IN THE US CONTINUOUSLY FOR AT LEAST 10 YEARS AS OF JUNE 17, 2024
- NOT HAVE A DISQUALIFYING CRIMINAL RECORD
- MERIT FAVORABLE DISCRETION

## DOCUMENTS NEEDED

- FOR APPLICANT, EVIDENCE OF:
  - LEGALLY VALID MARRIAGE
  - PROOF OF IDENTITY
  - SPOUSE'S CITIZENSHIP, AND
  - CONTINUED PRESENCE IN THE US FOR AT LEAST 10 YEARS, AS OF JUNE 17, 2024
- FOR CHILDREN, EVIDENCE OF:
  - CHILD'S RELATIONSHIP TO THE NONCITIZEN PARENT
  - NONCITIZEN PARENT'S LEGALLY VALID MARRIAGE TO A US CITIZEN AS OF JUNE 17, 2024, AND
  - CHILD'S PRESENCE IN THE US AS OF JUNE 17, 2024

The final rule and procedures for filing will be announced by August 19, 2024. Applications cannot be filed until August 19, 2024 and **applications sent prior to the application acceptance date will be rejected.**

## GET IN CONTACT WITH THE LEGAL FUND:



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