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# I-526, Immigrant Petition by Standalone Investor

**ALERT:** Beginning Sept. 1, 2022, we will no longer accept a single, combined fee payment when an applicant or petitioner files [Form I-526, Immigrant Petition by Standalone Investor](#), or [Form I-526E, Immigrant Petition by Regional Center Investor](#), **together** with [Form I-485, Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status](#), [Form I-131, Application for Travel Documents, Parole Documents, and Arrival/Departure Records](#), or [Form I-765, Application for Employment Authorization](#). Petitioners must send a separate fee payment for each form.

If a petitioner or applicant submits a single, combined fee payment for Forms I-526 or I-526E and the other forms, we will reject the forms for improper fee payment and return the fee.

**ALERT:** Starting July 12, 2022, we are accepting the new Form I-526, Immigrant Petition by a Standalone Investor.

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This form is used by a standalone investor to petition U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) for status as an immigrant to the United States under section 203(b)(5) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), as amended.

## Forms and Document Downloads

- [Form I-526 \(PDF, 701.9 KB\)](#)
- [Instructions for Form I-526 \(PDF, 293.67 KB\)](#)

## Form Details

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01/20/25. Starting May 28, 2025, we will accept only the 01/20/25 edition. Until then, you can also use the 04/01/24 edition. You can find the edition date at the bottom of the page on the form and instructions.

Dates are listed in mm/dd/yy format.

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