

EMAIL BULLETIN

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY (DHS) ANNOUNCES UPDATES IN TEMPORARY PROTECTED STATUS (TPS) DESIGNATION FOR LIBERIANS (TPS TERMINATED) AND BURUNDIANS (TPS EXTENDED)

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The U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) has terminated TPS designation for Liberians, and has extended TPS designation for Burundians for an additional twelve months, until November 2, 2007. Qualified Burundian TPS applicants must re-register on or before November 13, 2006.

Applicants for re-registration must file Applications for Temporary Protected Status (without fee), Applications for Employment Authorization, and a Biometrics Services Fee of \$70 if over the age of 14 and requesting a new Employment Authorization Document (EAD) or EAD Extension.

The U.S. DHS also recently extended TPS designation for El Salvadorans. The reregistration period for El Salvadorans closed on September 1, 2006. If you have questions regarding the continuing validity of an existing EAD card, or require assistance with an employee's re-registration for TPS status, please contact your Tindall & Foster immigration attorney.