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# Temporary Protected Status (TPS) for Lebanon Extended for 6 Months; Certain EADs Automatically Extended Through Nov. 27, 2026

The designation of Lebanon for Temporary Protected Status (TPS) is set to expire on May 27, 2026. The secretary of homeland security did not determine whether Lebanon continues to meet the conditions for designation for TPS by March 28, 2026, the statutory deadline. DHS is automatically extending Lebanon's designation for TPS for 6 months, from May 28, 2026, through Nov. 27, 2026.

Aliens with a pending or approved TPS application may qualify for certain public benefits and REAL ID driver's licenses and identification cards. When applying for a federal, state, or local government benefit, aliens will need to show a document proving they applied for or are beneficiaries of TPS for Lebanon. They may provide a TPS Employment Authorization Document (EAD) with a category of A12 or C19, or a copy of their Form I-797, Notice of Action, for a current Form I-821, Application for Temporary Protected Status.

Given the time frames for processing pending TPS applications, USCIS is automatically extending through Nov. 27, 2026, the validity of EADs with a Card Expires date of May 27, 2026, issued under the prior TPS designation of Lebanon. Aliens with pending TPS applications or beneficiaries of TPS Lebanon presenting an EAD referenced in this Federal Register notice do not need to show any other document, such as the Federal Register notice, to prove they qualify for this automatic EAD extension.

SAVE will be able to verify an individual's pending or approved TPS application (and any employment authorization) using information from any documents noted above. In some instances, the benefit-granting agency may need to institute additional verification to do so.

For more information regarding Lebanon's TPS extension, please refer to [91 FR 32069](#).

For up-to-date information, please refer to the [TPS Lebanon](#) page.



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## Creating an E-Verify Case

After a new employee has completed Form I-9, Employment Eligibility Verification, create a case in E-Verify for this employee. Enter the EAD document number you entered on Form I-9 and the automatically extended date of Nov. 27, 2026. You must reverify these employees on Form I-9 before they start work on Nov. 28, 2026.

Find more details about this extension on the [TPS Lebanon](#) page and instructions for completing Form I-9 on the [I-9 Central TPS page](#).

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