

Refugee

Supplemental Guidance

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Processing Acronym Legend

WIF = Withhold in Full

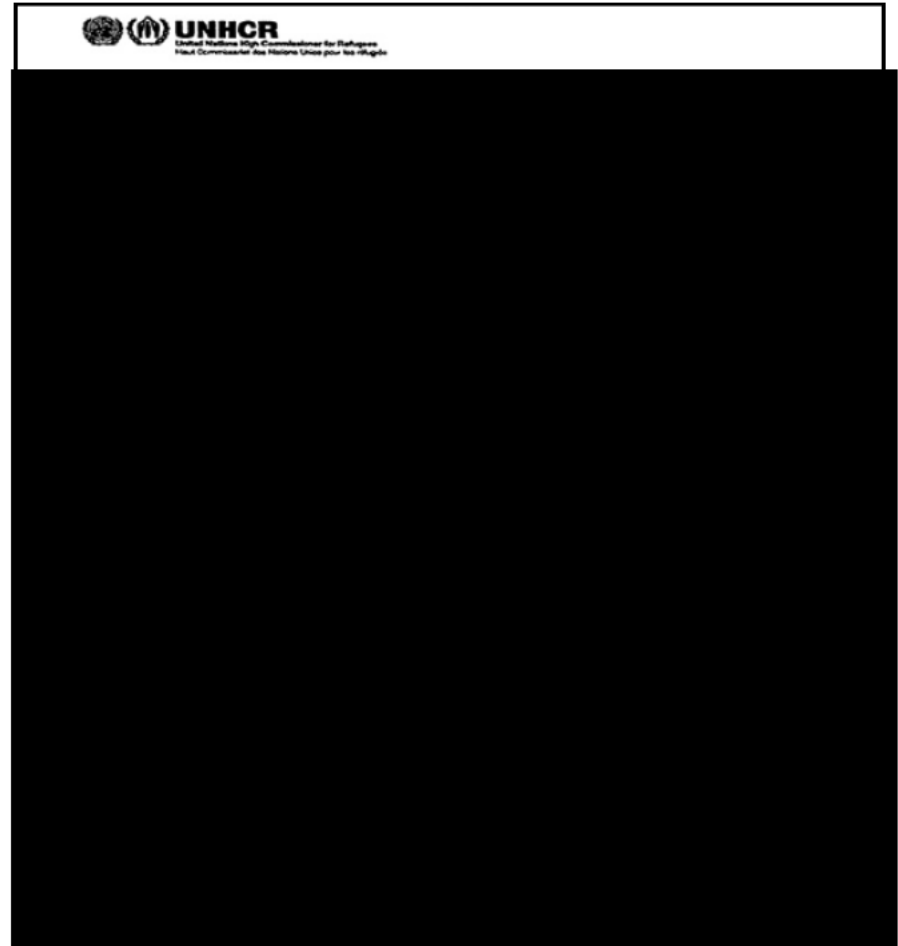
RIF = Refer in Full

OOS = Out of Scope



UNHCR Resettlement Submissions for Protracted Refugee Population Project

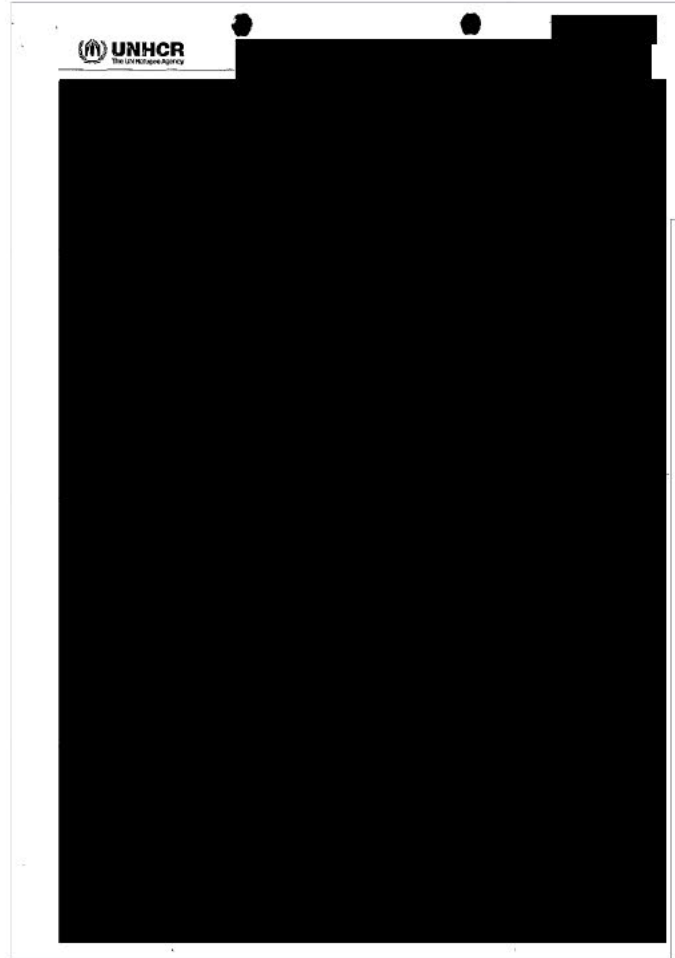
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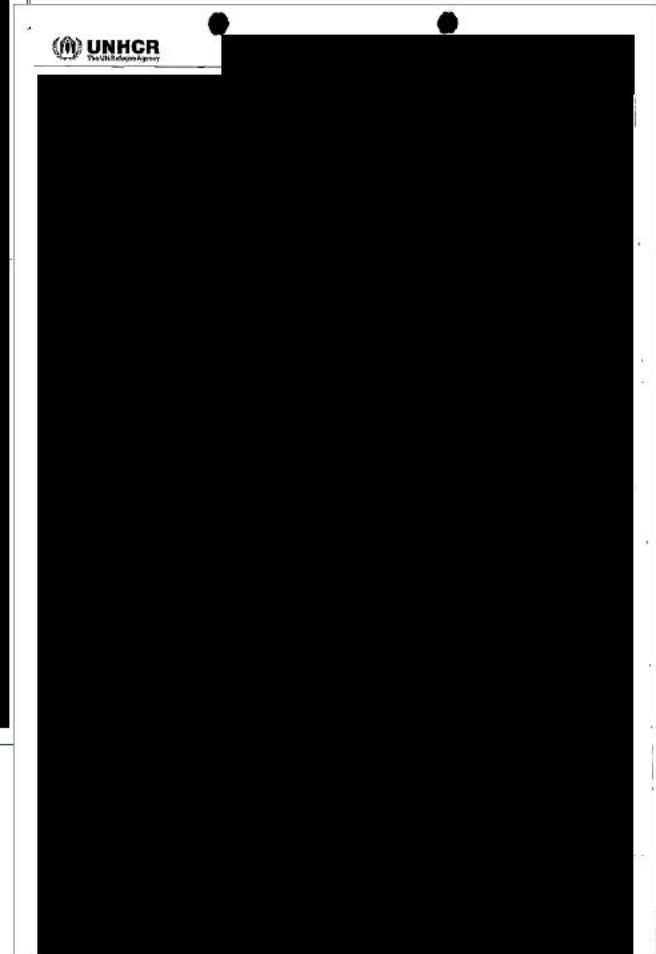
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UNHCR Resettlement Registration Form

RIF to DoS



A redacted UNHCR Resettlement Registration Form. The top left corner features the UNHCR logo and the text "UNHCR THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEE PROTECTION". The rest of the form is completely blacked out.



A second redacted UNHCR Resettlement Registration Form, identical to the first one, with the UNHCR logo and text visible at the top left and the rest of the form redacted.



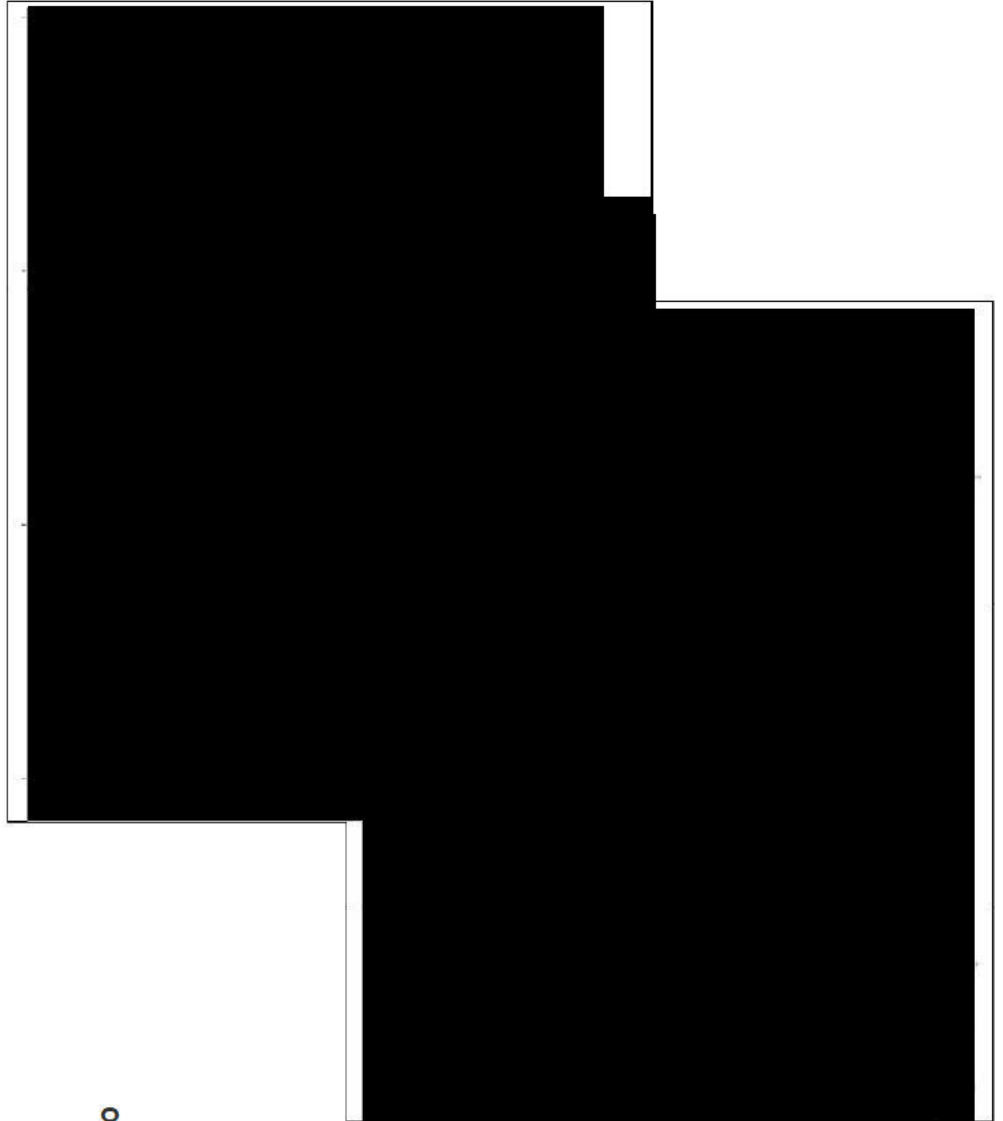
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Refugee Interview

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- Redact USICS employee PII (b)(6) in a FOIA case. Partially OOS in a PA case.
- If Present, redact deliberative notes (b)(5), add (d)(5) if a PA case.

Note: 25 year Sunset Provision applies to any deliberative notes.

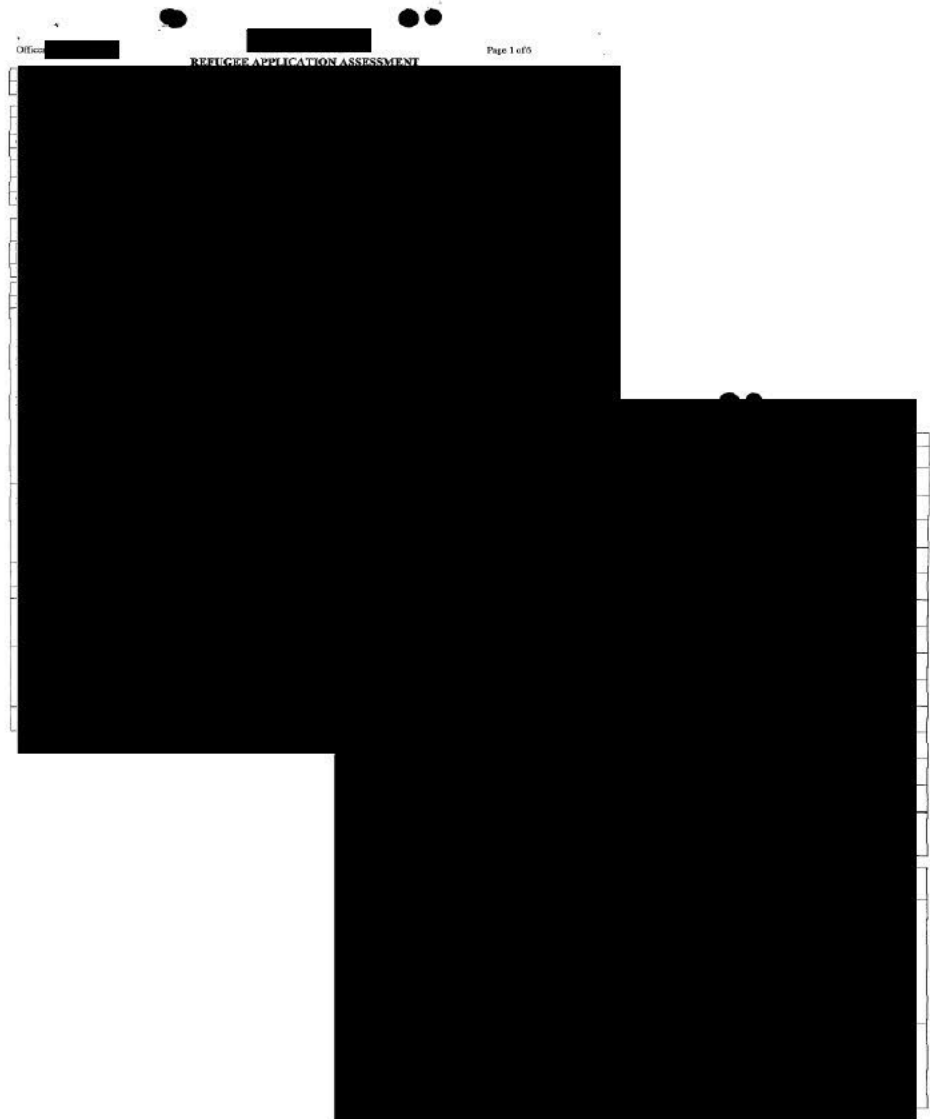


Refugee Application Assessment

Multi page document used by USCIS to record consistencies, discrepancies, national security concerns and other information relating to a case.

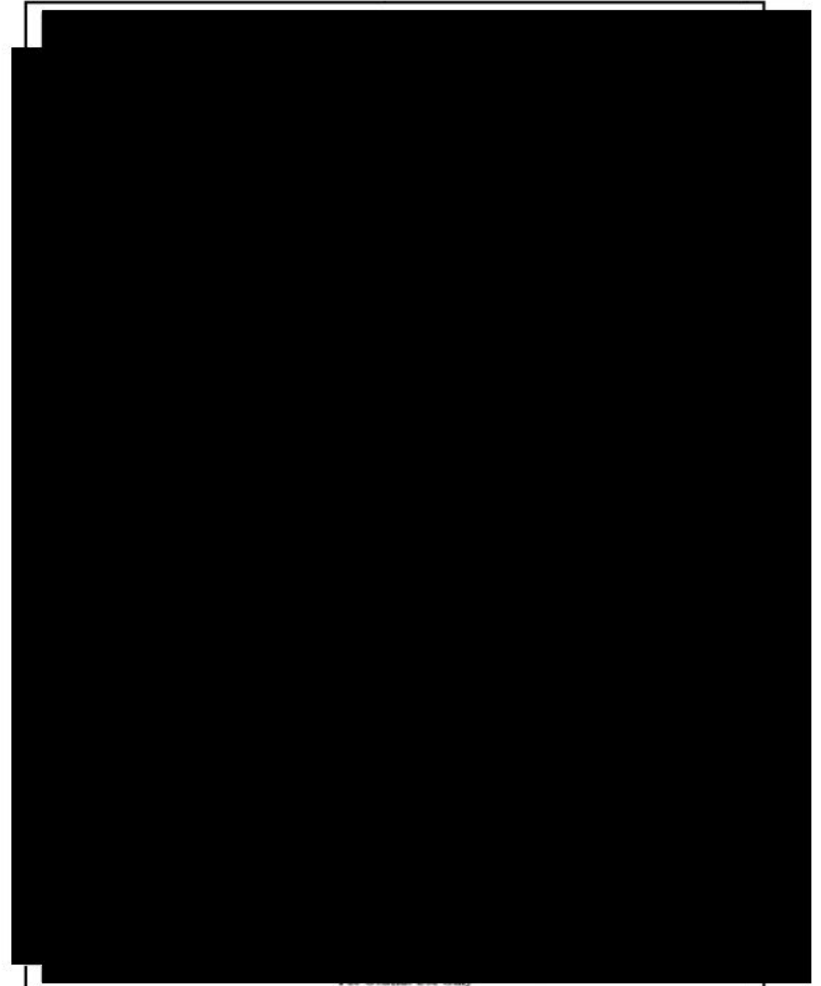
- Redact USCIS employee PII (b)(6) in a FOIA case. Partially OOS in a PA case.
- **Sections III – V** contain deliberative information, redact (b)(5), add (d)(5) if a PA case.
- **Top Section of VI**, even if blank, (b)(7)(E).
- **Lower section of VI** redact (b)(5) if subject is not aware of decision, add (d)(5) if a PA case.
- Redact, Refugee Officer notes and any names of systems checked and results, (b)(7)(E), add (k)(2) and/or (j)(2) if a PA case.

Note: 25 year Sunset Provision applies.



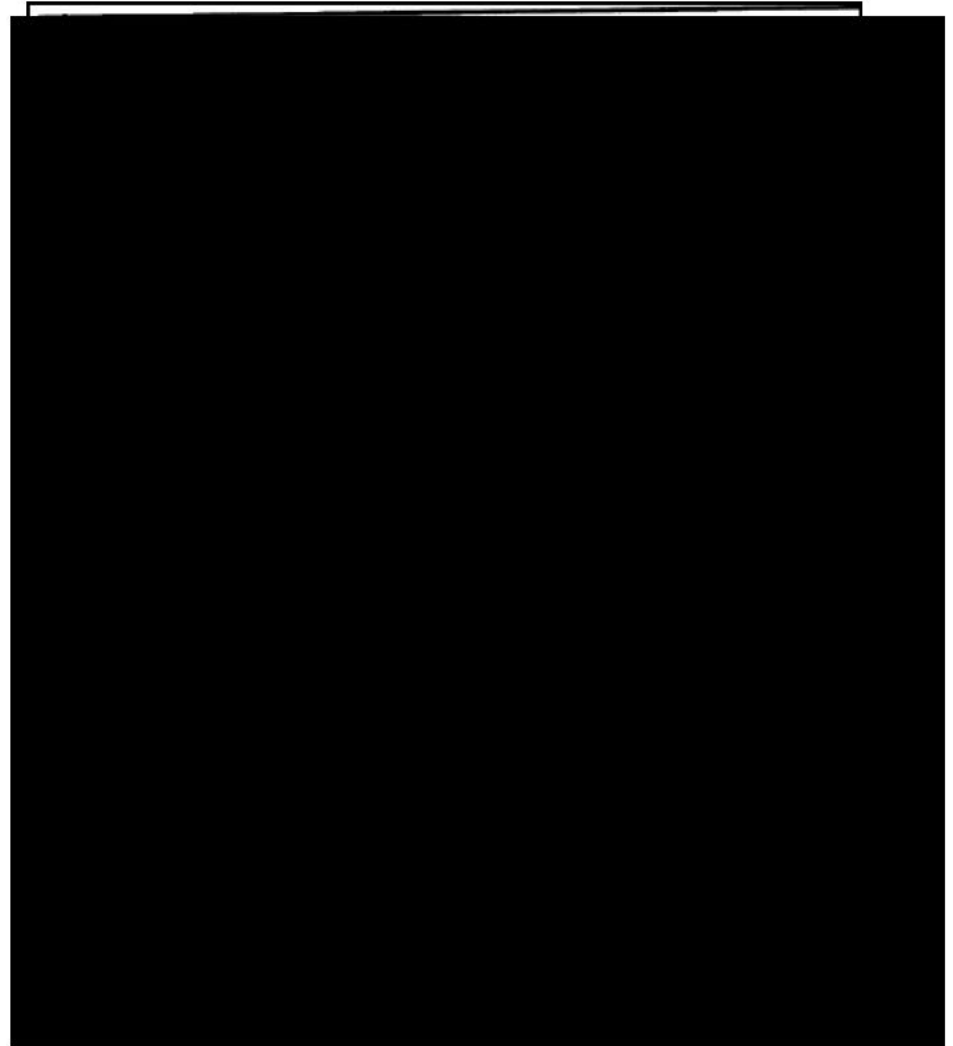
Addendum to Refugee Application Assessment Interview Notes

- Redact deliberative material (b)(5), add (d)(5) if a PA case.
- Redact law enforcement techniques, procedures and guidelines for which disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law (b)(7)(E), add (j)(2) and/or (k)(2).
- Redact USCIS employee PII (b)(6) in a FOIA case. Partially OOS in a PA case.



E-Mails Discussing Refugee Operations

- Review for possible redactions.
- If USCIS employee PII is present, redact (b)(6) in a FOIA case. Partially OOS in a PA case.





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