

From: U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS)
Sent: Friday, February 28, 2020 5:58 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

Hello Melanie.

Thank you for your inquiry regarding the Petition for Alien Fiancé(e) (Form I-129F) filed with U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) by [REDACTED].

To date, this office has not received the referenced petition back from the Department of State (DOS). However, please be aware, once USCIS receives a consular returned I-129F for K-1 classification from DOS, and the petition has expired in accordance with 8 CFR214.2(k)(5), USCIS will allow the petition to remain expired and will not reaffirm or reopen the petition. The validity period for this petition has already expired. Therefore, no further action will be taken on this petition. Please note, this does not preclude your constituent from filing a new I-129F petition.

Please also be aware, this office does not have jurisdiction to review a decision issued by the DOS. If a consular officer finds an applicant is not eligible to receive a visa under U.S. law, the visa application will be denied (refused), and the applicant will be provided a reason for the denial. For more information regarding visa denials, your constituent may refer to: <https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/visa-information-resources/visa-denials.html>.

We hope the information provided is helpful. If we may be of assistance in the future, please let us know.

Respectfully,

Congressional Liaison
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