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Cc: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC)
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Good day,

[redacted] **Immigration Representatives Mailbox**

Please note that this mailbox is intended for general guidance and does not provide responses to case-specific inquiries. If you have case specific questions about a file, you are encouraged to submit the IRCC Web form.

The EMPP Public Policies explicitly list the various types of eligible status documents that a candidate requires to apply. Proof of having Temporary Protected Status issued by the hosting state where the foreign national is residing is an acceptable document under the EMPP (accompanied by a durable solution information form) however, proof of being in another country substantiated by entry stamps on a passport is not. If a candidate does not have an eligible status document, they can work with one of our EMPP non-government partners to assess if they are eligible as a refugee or displaced person before they apply.
While we do not respond to case specific questions, please note that each case will be assessed by an officer considering the particular circumstances in conjunction with the supporting documentation available to them. The onus is always on the applicant to provide sufficient documentation to satisfy an officer that they meet the requirements of the program they are applying under.

We trust that this information will assist you.

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The Immigration Representatives Mailbox

De :
Envoyé : 5 janvier 2025 16:02
À : Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC) <IRCC.ImmigrationRepresentatives-[redacted]
Objet : Undocumented/Displaced persons - Federal EMPP

Good day IRCC,

I would like to ask the following questions regarding eligibility documents for the Federal EMPP program.

1. 1. Some foreign nationals residing outside their country of nationality for fear of persecution may have ended up in countries that do not offer national framework for refugee protected, nor provide any temporary protection documents but simply suspend deportations of such individuals to their country of persecution. In effect, these individuals would not have any document to substantiate their temporary status which they could use as TPS and fill out durable solutions form to be eligible for the Federal EMPP program. They fled their country of persecution and the host country reached a verbal agreement to suspend their deportations. My question is whether these individuals could provide proof of their temporary stay in the form of all pages of their [redacted] entry [redacted] to the [redacted] a TPS [redacted] and [redacted] the [redacted]

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form to substantiate their protection need. This assumes that their temporary stay in the host country albeit without formal documentation finds its basis on their protection need. If it helps, the host country is and the country of persecution is government normally deports undocumented migrants; however, the country implemented a temporary policy to allow refugees to reside in due to their fear of persecution until further notice. I would greatly appreciate your assistance with this matter, as the intent and spirit of the program seem to align closely with the individual's circumstances described above.

Sincerely,