

IMMIGRATION UPDATE®

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OCTOBER VISA BULLETIN UPDATE

The Department of State (DOS) has published the October 2014 Visa Bulletin announcing that the priority date for employment-based third preference (EB-3) category for all applicants other than those born in India and China will advance six months, to a new cut-off date of October 1, 2011.

The Chinese EB-3 category will advance five months, to April 1, 2009, while EB-2 China will move forward approximately five weeks to November 15, 2009. EB-2 and EB-3 India remain unchanged.

Applicants with current priority dates should contact their FosterQuan immigration attorney now for additional information regarding application for an immigrant visa at a U.S. Embassy/Consulate abroad, or application for Adjustment of Status with U.S. CIS in the United States. As always, FosterQuan will continue to monitor visa availability and will provide additional information via future Immigration Updates[©] and on our firm's <u>website</u>.