



How Do I Replace My Lost or Stolen Green Card?

I DON'T HAVE MY GREEN CARD. DO I NEED TO REPLACE IT?

Yes. If you live in the United States and your Permanent Resident Card ("Green Card") was stolen, lost or destroyed you must replace it.

HOW DO I APPLY TO REPLACE MY GREEN CARD?

You must obtain a form from the US Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) called INS Form I-90. You can get this form by calling the INS at (800) 870-3676 or by using the INS website at <http://uscis.gov/graphics/formsfee/forms/i-90.htm>.

Application Form: You must fill out form I-90 by either typing or printing with black ink. Read the instructions carefully and mark any items that don't apply to you as "N/A". In addition to Form I-90, you must submit certain documents as part of your application for a replacement card.

Initial Evidence: You must submit what the INS calls "Initial Evidence". This refers to documents that prove that you are who you say you are.

- If you still have your previous card (and are replacing it because it was damaged) you may use that as your Initial Evidence.
- If you lost your card or it was stolen, but you have a photocopy, you should submit it with your application.
- If you don't have a copy of your card and are at least 18 years old, you must file your application with a copy of some "identity document" such as a driver's license, passport, non-driver ID card or birth certificate.

Photos: You must submit two passport-style photos (in color) with your application. Lightly print your A# on the back of each photo with a pencil.

WHERE DO I FILE MY FORM I-90?

You must mail your form, along with your \$290 dollar application fee and an addition "biometrics fee" of \$80 to:

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services
P.O. Box 54870
Los Angeles, CA 90054-0870

HOW MUCH WILL IT COST TO GET A NEW GREEN CARD?

When you apply for your replacement green card, you will need to pay a fee in the amount of \$290 and a separate biometrics fee of \$80. You must pay by check or money order, made out to "Department of Homeland Security". Fees change periodically; for the latest fees, check www.uscis.gov/files/nativedocuments/G-1055.pdf.