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EOIR Publishes Interim Final Rule Regarding OCAHO Electronic Filing

FALLS CHURCH, Va. – The Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR) announced today the publication of an [interim final rule](#) (IFR) making electronic filing through the Office of the Chief Administrative Hearing Officer (OCAHO) Portal mandatory for all attorneys and other authorized representatives in OCAHO cases.

OCAHO hears cases and adjudicates issues arising under the provisions of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) relating to: (1) employment of unauthorized aliens and failure to comply with employer eligibility verification requirements in violation of INA § 274A; (2) immigration-related unfair employment practices in violation of section INA § 274B; and (3) immigration-related document fraud in violation of INA § 274C.

EOIR developed the OCAHO Portal—a secure public application with case access and electronic filing capabilities—to integrate with OCAHO’s internal case management system. Parties and representatives may access the OCAHO Portal at the following location: <https://ocaho.eoir.justice.gov/>.

Please visit OCAHO’s [Frequently Asked Questions webpage](#) for additional information.

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