



**COALITION OF 100+ ORGANIZATIONS CALLS FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION AFTER
FAILED SETTLEMENT TALKS FOR TPS RAMOS CASE**

Biden Administration must keep promises to over 300,000 TPS holders

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WASHINGTON, D.C.—After nearly a year and a half, settlement talks between the Biden Administration and the plaintiffs in *Ramos v. Mayorkas* officially ended this week, leaving over 300,000 people with Temporary Protected Status (TPS) and their families from El Salvador, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, Nepal, and Sudan without clear answers for what's next.

The need for resolution is urgent, as the litigated TPS designations for all six countries expire on December 31st of this year. While the administration may take measures to prevent or delay loss of status for beneficiaries on that date, it is unclear what form that may take. The administration has designated Haiti and Sudan for TPS outside of the lawsuit, but they have not done so for El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua, or Nepal.

The Temporary Protected Status Deferred Enforced Departure Administrative Advocacy Coalition ([TPS-DED AAC](#)) is deeply disappointed in the Administration's failure to come to an agreement, and we call for immediate action from the Biden Administration to secure beneficiaries from all countries under the *Ramos* case. Secretary Mayorkas must immediately designate El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Nepal for TPS outside of litigation and redesignate Haiti and Sudan as their own decision dates approach.

Lora Adams, Campaign Coordinator of the TPS-DED AAC stated: "President Biden has promised a solution for long-time immigrants with TPS since his campaign days. TPS holders from El Salvador and Honduras alone have lived in the United States [for an average of 24 years](#). Decades of gridlock on immigration reform have forced long-time residents to live according to temporary solutions. It is not only the administration's responsibility to maintain protection for all immigrants who can not safely return home, but it is Congress's responsibility to end the uncertainty that forces thousands of families to hinge their futures on a court decision."

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The [TPS-DED AAC](#) is a national coalition of more than 100 organizations with deep expertise in law and policy surrounding TPS and DED. Member organizations range from community-based organizations directly serving impacted communities in the United States to international NGOs, working in and providing insight from affected countries.