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#### **Transportation Security Administration (TSA) Temporary Transportation Worker Identification Credential (TWIC) Card Expiration Exemption**

The TSA has granted a temporary exemption from the requirements in 49 CFR 1572 regarding the expiration of TWIC cards, extending the expiration timelines. For TWICs expiring between March 1, 2020, and July 31, 2020, the exemption extends the validity of the credential for 180 days, and for TWIC cards that would otherwise expire during the effective period of the exemption would remain in effect through July 31, 2020. All TWICs that show an expired date during these timeframes should be treated as valid, and not expired.

The TWIC Exemption Notice is scheduled to publish to the Federal Register on Wednesday, April 15, 2020. TSA Enrollment Services and Vetting Programs have approved the following FAQs and notice available at: [Documents](#). Please visit [tsa.gov](http://tsa.gov) for more information.

If you have any questions, please contact the Sector Maryland-National Capital Region Port Safety and Security Branch at (410) 576-2630 or [D05-SMB-SECMDNCRPSS@USCG.MIL](mailto:D05-SMB-SECMDNCRPSS@USCG.MIL).

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