

A North American Indian born in Canada may freely enter and reside in the U.S. and is lawfully admitted for permanent residence if he is of at least 50% American Indian blood. This does not include the spouse or child of such an Indian nor a non-citizen whose membership in an Indian tribe or family is created by adoption unless such person is of at least 50% American Indian blood. Sources of verification are:

- Birth or baptismal record issued on a reservation
- Tribal records
- Letter from the Canadian Department of Indian Affairs
- School records.