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From: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC)
Sent: Fri, 7 Feb 2025 16:23:02
To
Cc: [redacted] Representatives [redacted]
Subject: TR: Visitor to work from inside Canada ***URGENT*** - REP-2025-0216- Due 18-Feb-25
Importance: Normal
Sensitivity: None

Good day,

[redacted] **Immigration Representatives Mailbox**

Please note that this mailbox is intended for general guidance and does not provide responses to case-specific inquiries but have provided the following information as guidance.. If you have case specific questions about a file, you are encouraged to submit the IRCC Web form.

Please see our response to your question:

[redacted] are [redacted] to [redacted] for work permits from [redacted] to worker public policy [redacted] Canada [redacted] policy [redacted] visitors to apply for work permits from within the country - Canada.ca.

You can follow the instructions at Work permit: How to apply - Canada.ca for information on how to apply for a work permit based on your situation. The instructions for how to apply for a study permit are not applicable to work permits.

We hope this information is of assistance.

Regards,

The Immigration Representatives Mailbox

De : [redacted]
Envoye : 21 janvier 2025 14:55
[redacted]: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (I[redacted])
Objet : Visitor to work from inside Canada ***URGENT***
Importance : Haute

Good day,
Can a visitor in Canada apply for a work permit online by completing outside Canada work permit application form as we do for students (refer to the below screen shot from the IRCC website).

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*** Where are you applying from?** (required)

- ○ Outside Canada
- ◉ Inside Canada
- ○ At a port of entry

Venezuelan passport holders

You may need to complete extra steps when you fill out your application.

*** Only some people can apply for a study permit from inside Canada. Do any of the situations below describe you, or the person you're applying for?** (required)

You're currently in Canada and one of these applies:

- you're a Ukrainian national or family member of a Ukrainian national
- you have a valid study or work permit
- your spouse, common-law partner or parent has a valid study or work permit
- you're a minor child in primary or secondary school
- you're an exchange student or visiting student
- you completed a short-term course or study program required to be accepted at a DLI
- you or your spouse, common-law partner or dependent child has a temporary resident permit (TRP) valid for 6 months or more
- you're being sponsored to immigrate and you already applied for permanent residence (if you're eligible)
- you or your spouse, common-law partner or dependent child are subject to an unenforceable removal order
- you're the spouse, common-law partner or dependent child of:
  - an athlete on a team based in Canada
  - a member of the media
  - a member of the clergy
  - military personnel on duty in Canada or
  - an accredited foreign representative
- you're a refugee claimant in Canada or a family member of a refugee claimant in Canada

- ○ Yes
- ◉ No

*** Has your study permit expired?** (required)

- ○ Yes
- ◉ No

You need to apply as though you're outside Canada

Even though you're physically in Canada, you must follow the instructions for applying for a study permit from **outside** Canada.

[redacted] to your response.

Best,

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