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From: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC)
Sent: Thu, 20 Feb 2025 15:17:59
To:
Cc: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC)
Subject: FW: Express Entry foreign work points for remote work while in Canada - REP-2025-0238 - Due 20-Feb-25
Importance: Normal
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Hello,

[redacted] to Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada's Immigration Representatives mailbox. We appreciate your patience.

Question:

Please confirm that an applicant will get points for foreign work, if they are in Canada as a visitor, worker or any other valid status, if they are working remotely for a foreign company located outside Canada.

Answer:

Remote work for a foreign employer while an applicant is in Canada may be eligible for Comprehensive Ranking System (CRS) points as foreign work experience, qualifying under the Express Entry program if it meets all the requirements.
Please note that the system does not currently capture remote work. When an applicant is invited to apply, please submit an explanation detailing the remote work agreement, and the physical locations of both the employer and employee.
Please be advised that the assessment of an application is conducted on a case-by-case basis, taking into consideration the specific circumstances and the supporting documentation available to the officer. It is the applicant's responsibility to provide sufficient documentation to demonstrate that they meet the requirements.
We trust that this information will be of assistance to you.
Sincerely,

Immigration Representatives Mailbox

De : [redacted]
Envoyé : 22 janvier 2025 17:03
À : Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC) <IRCC.ImmigrationRepresentatives-[redacted]
Objet : Express Entry foreign work points for remote work while in Canada

Dear Officer,

Please confirm that an applicant will get points for foreign work, if they are in Canada as a visitor, worker or any other valid status, [redacted] you.

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