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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.

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Is this referring to the new program at the new DLI? If so, is the condition that they can study at that new DLI until the permit expires based on the answer of #1, provided no violation occurs?

A student must study at the DLI name indicated on their study permit. A student who completed a post-secondary level program at DLI A and then wishes to start a new post-secondary program at DLI B, will need to apply to extend their current study permit to start their studies at DLI B. No violation occurs as long as the student is actively enrolled to study or has applied to obtain a new permit.

Study permit holders must ensure that they apply for a new study permit in advance so that they can start their studies at the new DLI in time.

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The Immigration Representatives Mailbox

De :
Envoyé : 14 janvier 2025 17:30
[redacted]**:** Immigration Representatives [redacted] Représentants immigration [redacted]
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Objet : Clarification of - REP-2024-2584

Hello,

From REP 2024-2584, I have two clarifying questions. I have responded to that REP question directly, but if it requires an entirely new entry in the queue, please accept this as the entry of my request.

The issue is with the following statement, and the questions follow as numbered items.

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