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From: [redacted] Représentants [redacted]
Sent: Thu, 20 Mar 2025 18:43:00
To:
Cc: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC)
Subject: TR: Urgent Question about PAL - REP-2025-0627 - Due 21-03-2025
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:

Question 1:
For study permit restoration, does a student need a PAL?

RESPONSE 1
If a student's study permit has expired, they must apply for both restoration and a study permit extension at the same time, rather than solely for an extension. Since IRCC does not exempt restoration applicants from the PAL/TAL requirement, they will likely need to include a valid PAL/TAL with their application.

Please find more details on the IRCC website: Study permit: Get the right documents Provincial attestation letter or territorial attestation letter - Canada.ca

Question 2 is based on the following situation:

1. 1. Students studied in other school but transferred to our school before November 2024.
2. 2. Most of them did not update their DLI info on their GCkey porta. The rest cannot recall if they did it or not.
3. 3. Now they need to apply for study permit extension.
4. 4. No more DLI change, or program change for their upcoming study.

RESPONSE 2
[redacted] ill [redacted] the [redacted] to your [redacted] before November [redacted] and [redacted] not update their DLI information with IRCC, they still need to provide a PAL when applying for a study permit extension unless they meet specific exceptions.

Please find more details on the IRCC website: Extend your study permit or restore your status: What to do if your permit expires - Canada.ca

We trust that this information will assist you.

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The Immigration Representatives Mailbox

From:
Sent: [redacted] [redacted] 21, 2025 1:55 PM
To: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC) <IRCC.ImmigrationRepresentatives-Representantsimmigration.[redacted]
Subject: Urgent Question about PAL

Dear Sir/Madam,

I hope this email finds you well.

My name is I have two urgent questions that need your guidance.

Question1: for study permit restoration, does a student need a PAL?

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My question is: do they need a PAL?

Since several students are waiting for our clear answer regarding PAL exempted or not, and their study permits are about to expire or they are in 90 day restoration window, your urgent help is needed.

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Best Regards,