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Good day,
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Please see our response to your question.
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In the case of program completion, the study permit becomes invalid the day that is 90 days after the day on which the permit holder completes their studies. Therefore, your understanding of 222(1)(a) is correct.
However, please note that the student will eventually need to extend their study permit before it expires.

We hope this information is helpful.

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The Immigration Representatives Mailbox

De :
Envoyé : 17 mars 2025 12:54
À : Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC) <IRCC.ImmigrationRepresentatives-Representantsimmigration.[redacted]
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Objet : Study Permit Validity under R222(1)(a)

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Hello,

I hope this email finds you well. I am reaching out to seek clarification regarding study permit invalidity.

Based on the Immigration and Refugee Protection Regulations (IRPR):
Section 222(1)(a) states that a study permit becomes invalid upon the first to occur of the following days: (a) the day that is 90 days after the day on which the permit holder completes their studies.

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Considering section 222(1)(a), when a study permit holder completes an academic program, receives a program completion notification from their designated learning institution (DLI), and subsequently begins a new academic program in the following semester at the same DLI, my understanding is that section 222(1)(a) does **not** invalidate their study permit. Is this understanding correct?

I appreciate your time and clarification on this matter.

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