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Hello,

Please note that this service provides guidance and not case-specific advice.

Please refer to the following link to answer your questions. Extend or change the conditions on your work permit: What to do if your work permit expires or is expiring - Canada.ca.

For case-specific questions, you can send an IRCC Web form.

We hope this information is of assistance.

Thank you,

**The Immigration Representatives Mailbox**

**De :**
**Envoyé :** 8 janvier 2025 19:14
**À :** Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC) <IRCC.ImmigrationRepresentatives-Representantsimmigration.IRCC[redacted]
**Objet :** Question from Representative IRCC ID Question - maintained status for applicant from worker to visitor

Greetings Immigration Representatives Mailbox,

I am an immigration consultant in good standing with the CICC.

Could you please provide guidance to me on the following hypothetical situation?

**Say a foreign worker applies to extend his immigration status as a visitor. He is considered to have maintained his status as a worker or visitor?**
**WP expiry - Dec 31, 2024**
**Visitor record application submission - December 21, 2024**

**What is his immigration status as of today considering his application from December 21, 2024 is still in process?**

**Is he considered to have maintained his status as a worker? We do understand that he will become a visitor once the application is approved, if approved.**

Please let us know if the question needs to be rephrased?

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Source of information may please also be referred to in response.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,