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From: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC)
Sent: Fri, 4 Apr 2025 15:37:54
To:
Cc: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC)
Subject: FW: URGENT: Confirmation Required – Simultaneous Application for PGWP and Restoration of Status - REP-B-2025-0175 - Due 28-Apr-25
Importance: Normal
Sensitivity: None

Good day,
[redacted] **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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The applicant has **up to 90 days** after their study permit expires to apply for a PGWP and restore your status as a student.

To restore your status as a student, you must

- * apply online for your PGWP (imm5710) and pay the correct fee ($255), **and**
- * pay the fee to restore your status as a student ($389.75)
  - * Because of system limitations, you must pay the fees to restore your status as a student online and attach a copy of the receipt to your PGWP online application (add. **You don't need to make a separate application to restore your status as a student.**

You can't work until your work permit has been approved. Find out if you meet the other requirements to work while we process your application.

Please upload any letters/documents to the client information upload section, if you would like provide any further information to the application.

We hope that this information is helpful to you.

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The Immigration Representatives Mailbox

From:
Sent: [redacted] 20, 2025 3:29 PM
To: [redacted] Representatives [redacted] Représentants immigration (IRCC)
[redacted]
Subject: URGENT: Confirmation Required – Simultaneous Application for PGWP and Restoration of Status

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Good day,

I would like to kindly ask for clarification regarding **which application form** to submit for an application for PGWP **and** restoration of status (student).

The client had one PGWP (diy) refusal due to a missing language proficiency test and now wishes to reapply for a PGWP with restoration.

I'm finding conflicting information online.

On IRCC's website, it is said to apply for a PGWP **and** pay the fees for both the work permit and restoration of status. No separate application for restoration of status is required. For this application, **IMM5710** would be completed and submitted to IRCC. On **IMM5710,** there is **no** option to select "Restore my status as a **student.**"

Work in Canada after you graduate

How to apply

You can apply for a post-graduation work permit (PGWP) from within Canada or from another country, as long as you're eligible.

You have **up to 180 days** after you graduate to apply for a PGWP.

▼ If your study permit expires before you apply

If you don't change your status to visitor and your study permit expires, you have **up to 90 days** after your study permit expires to apply for a PGWP and restore your status as a student.

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- pay the fee to restore your status as a student ($389.75)
  - Because of system limitations, you must pay the fees to restore your status as a student online and attach a copy of the receipt to your PGWP online application. You don't need to make a separate application to restore your status as a student.

website, communication from your inbox states to apply to restore status as a student and [redacted] this application, **IMM5709** would be completed.

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Please advise on <u>which IMM form</u> to complete to apply for a PGWP along with a restoration of status (student).

I look forward to your prompt response.

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Regards,