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Cc: [redacted] / Représentants [redacted]
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Good day,

The grace period announced by IRCC for the winter and spring semesters applies only from January 1, 2025, to May 1, 2025.
As a result, the grace period is available to students who are accepted to a new DLI within these dates.

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The Immigration Representatives Mailbox

De :
Envoyé : 28 janvier 2025 14:02
[redacted]: Immigration Representatives [redacted] Représentants immigration (IRCC) [redacted]
Objet : Inquiry about DLI Change.

Hello IRCC Representatives,

Hope this finds you doing well. [redacted] ,Regulated International Student Immigration Advisor – RISIA – [redacted], and I am the Manager for International Student Services at [redacted] to [redacted] about the [redacted] for [redacted] their [redacted] semester [redacted] May 5th, 2025, NOT on May 1st, 2025. Based on the below (screenshot), would this mean that students accepted for Spring 2025 semester would not be eligible to start their program until they get the study permit approved?

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If you were accepted to a new DLI for the Winter or Spring 2025 semester (starting from January 1, 2025 to May 1, 2025)

You can start studying at your new DLI if you

- have been accepted to a DLI for the Winter or Spring 2025 semester (starting from January 1, 2025 to May 1, 2025), and
- have applied for a study permit extension, and
- have a study permit that remains valid and that doesn't have the DLI name printed on it, and
- meet all your existing study permit conditions

If you meet these criteria, you can attend the new DLI you wanted to transfer to while your study permit extension is being processed.

Your clarification on this matter would be highly appreciated.
Thank you,