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Updates for Work Permits



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The Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine has amended the procedure to obtain a work permit for foreigners (“WP”)

The Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine issued Resolution* which introduced amendments into the effective Order of issuance, prolongation and cancellation of the WP**, namely:

- Extended (clarified) the list of categories for employees who are eligible for WPs (i.e. graduates from highly ranked universities);
- Reduced the time period for:
 - Examination of documents by the authorities (from 15 to 7 working days) and
 - Submission of documents for prolongation period (from 30 to 20 calendar days).

We believe that overall the changes will improve the procedure to obtain a work permit.

We will continue to monitor the situation and keep you informed on any updates.

** Resolution No 42 dated 28 January 2015 “On certain issues on deregulation of commercial activity”.*

*** Resolution No 437 dated 27 May 2013 “On order of issuance, prolongation and cancellation of work permit for employment of foreigners”.*