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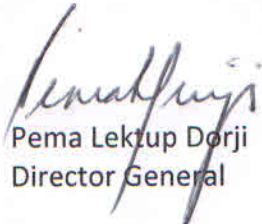
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Public Notification

The Department of Immigration would like to inform the general public that the relaxation of sections 77¹ and 129² of the Immigration Rules and Regulations (2015) vide Notification no. Tha(01)2020/2154 dated 28 March 2020, pertaining to the following has been rescinded with immediate effect:

- (i) Transfer of foreign workers from one employer to another
- (ii) Renewal of work permit for foreign workers beyond three years
- (iii) Inter-Dzongkhag transfer of foreign workers of the same employer

However, foreign workers with valid approval from the Department of Immigration may continue to work till the expiry of the approval.


Pema Lektup Dorji
Director General

¹A foreigner who is already inside shall be permitted to change the visa category or host agency only upon proper exit from the Kingdom for at least fifteen days.

²A foreign worker unless otherwise specified in the relevant section of this regulation, shall remain at least six months following completion of three years stay in the Kingdom.