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## CLIENT UPDATE



### Waiver of Relevant Government Office Recommendation for Receiving Work Permit

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Israel's Population, Immigration and Border Control Authority (hereinafter: "PIBA") announced a new policy regarding the entry of foreign "experts" to Israel:

Effective immediately, B/1 Experts workers permit applications are not required to obtain prior approval of the relevant government offices in order to receive a work permit.

The above waiver will not include B/1 Experts arriving for up to 7 Days from "red countries" (who will remain subject to approval and recommendation from the government office responsible for their field of activity regarding the necessity of the foreign expert's presence).

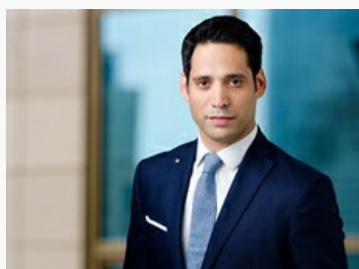
B/1 Experts arriving from "green countries" will not be subject to quarantine requirements on entering the State of Israel. (Please note that those who visited in "red countries" during the 14 days before the date of the flight to Israel from a green country, will need to be in quarantine when they enter the State of Israel).

B/1 Experts departing from "red countries" during the 14 days prior to the date of their flight to Israel, will need to quarantine for 14 days upon their arrival in accordance with the Ministry of Health regulations, and complete a form with details of their quarantine.

For the List of red and green countries, please see [here](#).

For any requests relating to work permits or entry permits for business visitors, please contact our team at any time

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