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THE ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA LABOUR CODE (NON APPLICATION OF DIVISION F) ORDER made in exercise of the powers contained in Division F 3 (h) of the Antigua and Barbuda Labour Code Cap 27. as amended.

1. Short title

This Order may be cited as the Antigua and Barbuda Labour Code (Non Application of Division F) Order, 2021.

2. Non application of Division F to several classes of persons

The Provisions of Division F of the Antigua and Barbuda Labour Code shall not apply to the persons listed in Schedule I.

3. Repeal

The Antigua and Barbuda Labour Code (Non Application of Division F) (No. 3) Order, 2017, S.I. No 73 of 2017 is hereby repealed.

SCHEDULE I

Persons to whom Division F does not apply

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- A A non-citizen of Antigua and Barbuda who is the spouse of a citizen of Antigua and Barbuda and has been married for one (1) year and has acquired a residency permit pursuant to the Immigration and Passport Act.
- B A non -citizen of Antigua and Barbuda who has a valid residence permit pursuant to the Immigration and Passport Act 2014.
- C A non citizen of Antigua and Barbuda who has applied for a residence permit after having acquired work permits of any duration that uninterrupted adds up to four years immediately preceding the date of the application, shall have a six (6) months exemption, or where deemed necessary, an extended period from a work permit during the processing period for residency by virtue of a Certificate (set out Schedule II) issued by the Labour Commissioner.
- D A person who had been granted Temporary Residence and held such status for four(4) or more uninterrupted years shall be treated as being the holders of a work permit for four (4) continuous years.
- E A person who resides in Antigua and Barbuda who has obtained a receipt from the Citizenship Department of a completed application for citizenship of Antigua and Barbuda, shall have a one (1) year exemption, or where deemed necessary, an extended period from a work permit during the processing period of the application, by virtue of a Certificate (set out in Schedule II) issued by the Labour Commissioner.
- F A person who is in Antigua and Barbuda for the purposes of being engaged in sports with a local club or has been hired by that club to compete for and or train their team for that particular season.
- G Citizens of Protocol Member States of the Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States Economic Union.

SCHEDULE II



GOVERNMENT OF ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA

CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF A WORK PERMIT PURSUANT TO STATUTORY INSTRUMENT 2021, NO 59

The Bearer
A National of
IS EXEMPTED FROM THE NEED FOR A WORK PERMIT FOR THE PERIOD SPECIFIED BELOW
PERIOD OF EXEMPTION: FROM
то
Passport No.:
Date of Issue
Date of Expiration
Labour Commissioner
D - f

Made the 12th day of July, 2021.

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Hon. Steadroy C.O Benjamin, Attorney General and Minister of Legal Asfairs, Public Safety, and Labour.