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RESUMPTION OF ACCEPTANCE & EVALUATION OF NEW ACCREDITATION APPLICATION FROM FOREIGN RECRUITMENT AGENCIES

The Migrant Workers Office (MWO) Hong Kong announces the resumption of accepting and evaluating applications for accreditation of Foreign Recruitment Agencies (FRAs).

Scope and Coverage. The following categories of FRA applicants shall be eligible for accreditation:

1. **New FRAs Hiring Skilled / Professional Workers**. FRAs that intend to recruit and deploy skilled workers or professionals.

2. **New FRAs Hiring Both Domestic Workers and Skilled / Professional Workers**. FRAs that intend to recruit and deploy domestic workers may also apply for accreditation, provided that they are simultaneously recruiting and deploying skilled workers.

3. **Currently Accredited FRAs for Domestic Workers Expanding into Skilled or Professional Recruitment.** FRAs with existing accreditation with MWO Hong Kong for domestic worker that intend to recruit and deploy skilled or professional workers.

4. **Currently Accredited FRAs for Skilled / Professional Workers.** FRAs with existing accreditation with MWO Hong Kong for skilled or professional workers that intend to recruit and deploy domestic workers.

Implementation. Applications exclusively for the recruitment and deployment of domestic workers will not be accepted for accreditation at this time. For further information regarding accreditation requirements and application procedures, please visit our website at https://mwohk-ph.com.

Monitoring and Review. MWO Hong Kong will undertake periodic internal reviews to ensure that workflow, service delivery and monitoring functions remain aligned with established standards and the MWO's compliance oversight responsibilities.

Effectivity. This resumption shall take effect on 03 November 2026.

This Advisory is issued for the information and guidance of all concerned.

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