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Professional Visit Pass

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At a glance

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Validity: Usually up to 12 months

Why people choose it

Short professional visits, including some expert and installation work. Not DE Rantau.

Eligibility

What you need to show: Malaysian sponsor applies before applicant entry. Artistes/crew must obtain PUSPAL approval before Immigration PVP.
Minimum age: Age floors 30–40 by role for some religious practitioner categories (IMI PVP page).
Work: Only the sponsored professional activity. PVP-Expert: one purpose/contract/project at a time; Cat 1 Expert Transfer & Cat 2 Research salary paid by original employer abroad. No long-term passes for spouses, dependants, or FDH under PVP-Expert.
Sponsor: Malaysian sponsor organisation before entry; ESD companies use PVP-Expert channel where applicable.
Other conditions: leave after expiry unless extension.

Documents

Malaysian sponsor
Approval before entry
VDR or approval letter for entry where required
Purpose limited to approved professional activity

Tier Duration

religious other-religions max 3 years on IMI page
Factory/hotel training not exceeding 6 months

Your quote

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