



### Announcement on Tourist Visa Application

As there have been a number of visa applicants having entered Thailand with a tourist visa but misused it to illegally seek employment during their stay and, upon its expiry, sought to re-apply for a new tourist visa from the Royal Thai Embassy or the Royal Thai Consulate in neighbouring countries, the Embassy would like to stress that the Thai Immigration Act, B.E. 2522, requires visa applicants to clearly express their real purpose of visiting Thailand. Therefore, the said effort to conceal their real intention to visit Thailand is unlawful.

In this connection, should the case be found that a visa applicant has repeatedly and irregularly departed and re-entered Thailand with tourist visas issued by the Royal Thai Embassy or the Royal Thai Consulate in neighbouring countries in recent years, the visa applicant will be considered as not having tourism purpose of visiting Thailand and, therefore, his/her application for tourist visa will be rejected.

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