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# Owner/Operator Work Permit



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## How can Mana Immigration help you?

Our Experts at Mana Immigration help entrepreneurs and investors identify profitable businesses in Canada and immigrate to Canada through starting these businesses.

If needed, our fellow consultants in various Canadian provinces will assist us so that no opportunity is missed in this vast land. Our knowledge and experience is not limited to the immigration sector. Instead, we can help you in the early stages when your business is just a basic idea. Develop your vision and turn it into a creative "business plan."

Our legal advisers take all the necessary legal steps to begin your business, including company registration, business registration, and the preparation of the company's rules and regulations. Mana Immigration's Marketing department ensures your successful presence in the fascinating digital world. We design a professional website for you and launch advertising campaigns for you.



## Q&A

### What is the minimum amount of money for starting a business?

The government of Canada has not specified the exact amount of minimum investment for this program.

### What kind of businesses are acceptable?

Profitable Businesses for the Canadian economy are accepted.

### For what kind of jobs are issued work permits?

This job should be the company's highest management position, and it should be guaranteed that you will not be fired.

### How long does it take to review a case?

Usually between 3 to 6 months

### How long can you stay in Canada with this work permit?

The duration of the Owner/Operator work visa is between 1 and 3 years.

### Is it possible to apply without the help of an immigration consultant?

Due to the complexity of this program and its multifaceted nature, we recommend that you use the services of the official advisors of the Canadian Immigration Service.

## The Process

- 1 Identifying a business
- 2 Developing a business plan
- 3 Preliminary steps to start a business
- 4 Labour Market Impact Assessment (LMIA)
- 5 Issuance of work permit
- 6 Arrival in Canada

## 7 Permanent Residency



## Eligibility Criteria

- ④ You must own at least 50% of the company's non-transferable shares.
- ④ You must have the highest management position in your company in Canada.
- ④ It is not possible to fire you.
- ④ You must have previous managerial experience.
- ④ You must have a profitable business plan.
- ④ You must have taken the necessary steps toward starting a business.
- ④ You must have the skills and experience to help improve the business.
- ④ Your business must help create jobs.
- ④ You must hire at least one Canadian citizen or permanent resident.

LMIA

It is no exaggeration to say that the Owner/Operator program's magic lies in a report called "Labour Market Impact Assessment."

In general, if this report indicates that business owners have not been able to choose the workforce they need from Canadian citizens and individuals, the road to hiring a foreigner will be paved. But in reality, it is challenging to reach such a conclusion. Because for almost any job, you can find a qualified person in Canada. It would be enough to publish a job advertisement.

In the Owner/Operator program; however, the employer is exempted from one of the essential requirements of a work visa: "job posting." This makes it very easy to get a work visa.



## Advantages

- ④ You will soon be living in Canada.
- ④ All the family members can come to Canada with you.
- ④ You do not need a lot of capital.
- ④ You do not need to invest in Canada.
- ④ You do not need to show how you collect your assets.
- ④ You do not need high proficiency levels in English.
- ④ There is no quorum for the number of people admitted.
- ④ You do not compete with anyone, and if you qualify, you will be accepted into this program.
- ④ You can start a business in Canada along with receiving a work and immigration visa.
- ④ You can choose wherever you want to start your business and life.
- ④ To obtain a work visa, you do not need to post a job advertisement for the job.

## Why Owner/Operator visa?

For many wealthy people worldwide, Canada is an ideal place to start a business or expand their current business.

Favourable economic situation, dynamic business environment, rich energy resources, and demographic diversity are among the factors that have made this country a suitable environment for various businesses.

On the other hand, foreign investors' presence in this country is known as one of the most critical factors in Canada's economic prosperity.

For this reason, the doors of Canada have always been open to investors and entrepreneurs.

One of the most attractive programs for attracting foreign entrepreneurs and their capital is the Owner/Operator program.