LOOKING FOR NEW ZEALAND IMMIGRATION ADVICE?

CHECKLIST

Use this checklist before you choose who provides you with advice on a New Zealand visa application.

There is no requirement to use an immigration adviser, however if you need immigration advice then only a licensed immigration adviser or exempt person, such as a current New Zealand lawyer, can assist.

Before you choose an immigration adviser, make sure you:

☐ Check the person is a New Zealand licensed immigration adviser or an exempt person at www.iaa.govt.nz

☐ Understand what the adviser will be doing to help you

☐ Have an agreement in writing with the adviser setting out what services they will provide you and how much it will cost

☐ Communicate directly with the licensed immigration adviser or exempt person.

Avoid someone who:

› Refuses to put their name on your visa application

› Claims to have personal contacts at Immigration New Zealand

› Asks you to sign a visa application form before it has been filled out.

For information on New Zealand’s immigration requirements, go to www.immigration.govt.nz

For a list of New Zealand licensed immigration advisers and exempt people, go to www.iaa.govt.nz