

## Queries: Fake Employment / Immigration in Canada

### 1) Personal Information and Money

It is strongly advised that no money should be paid / any personal information shared with anyone as some fraudsters use these tactics as an easy way to extort money / misuse personal information from unsuspecting people.

### 2) How to find an Immigration Professional?

Please note, Canadian immigration encourages applicants to process through Immigration Professionals who are registered under Regulated Canadian Immigration Consultants (RCICs) and Regulated International Student Immigration Advisors (RISIAs). It is an offense punishable by law to provide Canadian immigration services for a fee or other consideration if not regulated by ICCRC, a Canadian law society, or the Chambre des notaires du Québec. <http://icrc-crcic.info/find-a-professional/> will provides more information on how to find an Immigration Professional.

### 3) Information on job scams and authentication of immigration related documents in Canada.

<http://www.antifraudcentre-centreantifraude.ca/fraud-escroquerie/email-courriel-eng.htm>.

This website will provide you information regarding Job Scam and how to report such scam as well.

Authentication of immigration related documents: [http://international.gc.ca/world-monde/study\\_work\\_traveletude\\_travail\\_voyage/authenticationauthentification/index.aspx?lang=eng](http://international.gc.ca/world-monde/study_work_traveletude_travail_voyage/authenticationauthentification/index.aspx?lang=eng)

Authentication is a free service provided by the Government of Canada to prove that the signature, seal and position of an official on a document issued or certified in one jurisdiction or country is genuine, so that it can be recognized in another jurisdiction or country. In other countries this is known as legalization or apostille.

### 4) Genuine / Fake Visa Enquiry

Canadian visa offices in India with their official contact details: <http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/information/offices/apply-where.asp#i>

Official contact details and address of Canadian High Commission and Consulates in India: [http://international.gc.ca/world-monde/india-inde/index.aspx?lang=eng&menu\\_id=17](http://international.gc.ca/world-monde/india-inde/index.aspx?lang=eng&menu_id=17)

Official contact details and address of Canada Visa Application Centres in India:  
[http://www.vfsglobal.ca/Canada/india/contact\\_us.html](http://www.vfsglobal.ca/Canada/india/contact_us.html)

**5) Article regarding fake job / immigration scams in Canada**

[www.cbc.ca/news/canada/identity-theft-fraud-foreign-workers-1.3894128](http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/identity-theft-fraud-foreign-workers-1.3894128).