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## **Immigration GES Alert**

Malaysia – Introduction of Electronic Pass (ePASS) for Renewal Application(s) of Foreign Knowledge Worker (FKW)

#### What is the change?

In line with the <u>announcement</u> made by the Expatriate Service Division (ESD) of the Immigration Department, Malaysia Digital Economy Corporation (MDEC) has announced that effective 17 March 2023, ePASS will be issued for RENEWAL APPLICATION of Foreign Knowledge Worker (FKW) including their dependent(s).

Below is a summary of the ePASS features:

Type of pass applicable	Employment Pass (Category EP I, II and
	Dependent Pass to EP I and II categories
	Long-Term Social Visit Pass (LTSVP) to EP
	I and II categories
Eligibility	All renewal cases under Employment
	Pass (EP) and its related passes with a
	previous active pass that was endorsed
	in the same passport
Commentary	Company may download and print the
	ePASS from the system.
	The Foreign Knowledge Worker (FKW)
	including their dependent(s) MUST
	ensure that the ePASS is attached with
	the passport as identification at all times.
	The ePASS will be issued for the Foreign
	Knowledge Worker (FKW) including their
	dependent(s) that are currently in
	Malaysia and the latest pass is endorsed
	in the same passport.

Please refer to the link for further information.

### Deloitte's view

Expatriates with Long-Term Passes may use the Autogate facility whenever they enter and exit the country.

Requirement	The pass holder is required to register their passport and fingerprint at the foreigner e-gate registration kiosk.
Foreigner e-Gate Registration Kiosk	Located at International Arrival Hall, Kuala Lumpur International Airport 1 (KLIA1)



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