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Immigration Division – Online Payments for eVisas and eStudent Permits - UPDATE

Friday 1st March, 2024: **Port-of-Spain:** The Immigration Division wishes to advise that regrettably, there will be a delay in the launch of its new ePayment Portal for persons applying for Student Permits and Visas.

Applications are to continue to be directed to immigration.visas@gov.tt where they will be processed as applications for visa waiver.

This system will allow for persons receiving approval to pay the visa waiver fee of TT\$400.00, on arrival at the port of entry.

Please note that this measure is **not applicable** to persons covered in the Second Schedule i.e. Cuba, North Korea, The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Vietnam and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, who must apply via email, to immigration.visas@gov.tt or to any Trinidad and Tobago Mission.

Holders of Diplomatic, Official or Service passports, must continue to apply via the Ministry of Foreign and CARICOM Affairs, Trinidad and Tobago.

This process will continue until the launch of the ePayment Portal.

The implementation of this system, will allow for a more robust, time-efficient, transparent and user-friendly service to you, our clients who require entry visas and student permits.

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