



M. FIRON & CO. ADVOCATES

IMMIGRATION LAW

M. Firon & Co. has vast experience in the field of immigration law. The firm represents wealthy businesspeople wishing to make aliya (immigrate) to Israel and advises them on a wide range of legal issues.

The firm's clients include both Jewish and non-Jewish high net-worth individuals who we advise, among other things, on issues regarding returning citizenship, Israeli and foreign taxes, citizenship and questions associated with their personal status including common-law marriages, marriage, divorce and inheritance law, and comprehensive advice on managing their assets in Israel and around the world.

The firm's associates specialize in managing each client's personal assets during the immigration process, utilizing creative tools and planning the most efficient legal and tax structures for each asset, while having a broad outlook on the client's current and future needs.

The firm has vast experience representing clients before all governmental authorities and institutions responsible for handling olim and immigrants including embassies, the Ministry of the Interior, the Ministry of Absorption, the National Insurance Institute, the Israeli Tax Authorities, and more.

The firm's activities are not only limited only to Israel. Our associates have close working relationships with accountants, lawyers, and various authorities in many countries around the world.

Our vast network of contacts in Israel and abroad, together with our associates' in-depth understanding of the different immigration laws in each country, enables the firm's associates to advise its clients throughout the immigration process, from the start of the process abroad, including by handling issues which arise during the transition and through establishing permanent residency in Israel.

Our firm has unique experience providing legal advice and assisting Israeli and global companies and corporations with obtaining permits and visas to enable foreign experts to work in Israel. Our services include accompanying these workers throughout the entire process. In recent years, there has been a significant increase in employment of foreign experts in Israel.

The increase is consistent with trends in globalization and skilled manpower moving countries. There has also been a noticeable increase in national and private projects and mega-projects. These projects are sometimes performed by foreign companies and foreign experts with unique relevant know-how for executing the project.

COMPREHENSIVE AND FULL SERVICE INCLUDES:

- Filing applications for foreign expert work visas and permits;
- Filing applications for visas for commercial visitors;
- Temporary resident visas, Israeli citizenship, permanent residence for married spouses or common-law partners of Israeli citizens;
- Immigration to Israel under the Entry into Israel Law, visas to stay in Israel, including assisting foreign citizens who were rejected from being allowed to enter Israel;
- Assisting with settling client statuses opposite the Population and Immigration Authority and the Ministry of Interior by submitting applications for Israeli identity cards, passports and travel documents;
- Assisting with and advising on the "aliya" process to Israel vis-a-vis the Jewish Agency, Nativ, the Ministry of Absorption, the National Insurance Institute, with obtaining provisional and permanent residency, returning residency, returning minors, migrant citizens, etc., under the Law of Return; Submitting internal appeals to the Population and Immigration Authority, the Ministry of Interior, representing clients before the administrative appeal and petition tribunals;
- Applications for foreign worker permits in the nursing sector and obtaining work visas for foreigners working in the nursing sector;
- Advising clients throughout the process of checking paternity as well as paternity, familial relationships and genetic testing claims;
- Submitting applications to humanitarian committees.

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