Amendments to Articles 5-1 and 6 of "Qualifications and Criteria Standards forforeigners undertaking the jobs specified under Article 46.1.1 to 46.1.6 of the Employment Services Act"

Article 5-1

Other than meeting with other criteria specified in the Standards, foreign students, overseas Chinese students and ethnic Chinese students who have graduated from a public or private accredited college or university in the Republic of China and have accumulated a minimum of 70 points derived from the criteria in the attached table, may be employed to undertake the jobs with exemption from the limitations in the preceding Article.

The Central Competent Authorities shall announce the quota, application period, documents for approval and the procedure for issuing the employment permit.

Article 6

In order to assist companies in retaining professional and technical employees to response of the changes in the industry environment, foreigners employed in-accordance with the Article 5.1.2 may be exempted from the limitation of work-experience by the agreement with the central competent authorities in consultation with the central industry competent authorities

Reference Table

Item	Content/Level	Points	Notes
Education	PhD	30	
	Master degree	20	
	Bachelor degree	10	
Employment Salary	Monthly average above 47,971 New Taiwan Dollars	40	
	Monthly average above 40,000 New Taiwan Dollars and no more than 47,971 New Taiwan Dollars	30	
	Monthly average above 35,000 New Taiwan Dollars and no more than 40,000 New Taiwan Dollars	20	
	Monthly average above 31,520 New Taiwan Dollars and no more than 35,000 New Taiwan Dollars	10	
Work Experience	More than two years	20	Full time work experience in the Republic of China or abroad.
, , , , ,	More than 1 year and no more than 2 years	10	
Job Qualifications	Demonstrated capabilities and talents towards the company and job position requirements	20	Demonstrated special talents and capabilities towards the job position requirements, such as professional training, certification of skills, awards obtained from creative competitions, etc.
Chinese Language proficiency	Scored "fluency" and above in Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language	30	Certifications of Chinese proficiency tests, transcripts for Chinese language courses taken, or documentation of hours of Chinese study.
	Scored "high-level" and above in the Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language	25	
	Scored "mid-level" and above in the Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language	20	
Foreign Language Proficiency	Proficiency in 2 or more other language other than Chinese	20	Certifications of Foreign language proficiency test or documentation of hours
	Proficiency in one foreign language other than Chinese	10	of foreign language study.
Overseas Experience	Continuous residence in a foreign country for at least six straight years	10	Documentation issued by the University Entrance Committee for Overseas Chinese Students or Overseas Community Affairs Council, or school that the applicant student earned academic degree or diploma from.
Cooperation with government policy	Employment by an enterprise following governmental industrial development policies	20	Documentation or letter of proof issued by the Central Competent Authorities