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CAPIC Observes International Migrants Day (December 18)

December 17, 2021 – On December 18, the Canadian Association of Professional Immigration Consultants (CAPIC) will observe International Migrants Day. Marked annually by the United Nations, the day commemorates the General Assembly's passing of the *International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families*.

CAPIC CEO Dory Jade: "CAPIC is pleased to highlight International Migrants Day and to acknowledge the important contributions migrants make to Canadian society. Newcomers have played an integral role in Canada's pandemic response, filling many essential occupations and fueling Canada's economic recovery. CAPIC would also like to recognize the tireless efforts of immigration consultants, who have worked for many years to assist those who wish to come to Canada fulfill their goals."

The theme of this year's International Migrants Day, "Harnessing the Potential of Human Mobility," emphasizes the important role migrants play in strengthening communities.

About CAPIC

The Canadian Association of Professional Immigration Consultants (CAPIC) is the professional organization representing the interests of Canadian Immigration Consultants. The organization advocates for competency, ethical conduct, and consumer protection in the immigration consulting industry.

CAPIC's mission is to lead, connect, protect, and develop the profession, serving the best interests of its members. It is the only association recognized by the Government of Canada as the voice of Canadian immigration and citizenship consultants.

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