



PEOPLE'S PARTY

FAIRER IMMIGRATION FOR **A BETTER NEW ZEALAND**

Reopen Parent **Resident Visa**

For many families who have come to New Zealand in search of a better life, leaving their parents behind can be a very stressful time. The Parent Resident Visa has been very popular however poor policy and knee jerk reactions has meant it has become unavailable to most.

The New Zealand People's Party will reopen this in a more sustainable way that has better outcomes for families and the wider community.

Offering parents an initial 5 year work permit before getting permanent residence will give them independence to contribute to New Zealand.

Bring Last Family **Members to NZ**

New Zealand is at its best when we all come together. We believe families are the same. It can be tough when an adult sibling and their family are left behind.

Bringing families together in Aotearoa will create stronger community bonds, keep wealth from leaving the country and bring happiness to families.

We will create a sustainable model that gives these family members a chance at being their best in New Zealand.

An automatic 2 year work permit will let them find a job without being hamstrung by government red tape and show the country they want to be here.

Honor Commitments **Made to Students**

New Zealand has had huge economic success from the thousands of international students who come here to study. This success however has caused growing pains in the industry. We believe that despite these challenges New Zealand has made a commitment to these sons and daughters and we will honour them. We will give every student currently in the country a fair chance. Everyone will get a 2 year work permit and assistance to transfer to a course or training institution that will provide them with skills and qualifications that will benefit them and New Zealand.

We will restore some integrity to the industry by requiring all education consultants to be Licensed Immigration Advisors.

Easier Visitor **Sponsorship for Family**

For many families in New Zealand it can be very difficult for their family to come visit them. This is especially stressful in times of illness or death.

Currently the long process of applying to Immigration NZ to sponsor a relative gives no weight to the sponsor and their family. We will flip this around so people can automatically sponsor their families to visit but still retain Immigrations right to refuse when they feel the visit isn't genuine.

Shifting the burden of proof from a family to the government will mean better decisions are made and families aren't left paying the price for long processing times due to government inefficiencies.



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