

On September 7, [Federal law No. 182-FZ dated June 8, 2020](#) "On amendments to the Federal law "On migration registration of foreign citizens and stateless persons in the Russian Federation" came into force.

This law simplifies the procedure for the migration registration of foreign citizens on the territory of Russia.

Now any foreign citizen who is the owner of residential premises in Russia can register at the place of stay of another foreign citizen at the address of their residence.

This law also stipulates that if a homeowner who is a citizen of the Russian Federation is outside the Russian Federation, then the foreign citizen has to independently notify the migration authority of their arrival at the place of stay. In this case, for registration at the place of stay, such a foreign citizen has to additionally attach to the notification of arrival a notarized consent of the owner who is the citizen of the Russian Federation for the actual residence of this foreign citizen.

Also, starting September 7, a foreign citizen is not removed from the registration at the previous place of stay when checking in at a hotel.

On September 13, [the Order of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Russia dated 01.08.2020 №541](#) "On approval of the Administrative Regulations of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Russian Federation on the provision of state services for issuing permits for attracting and using foreign employees, as well as work permits for foreign citizens and stateless persons" comes into force.

The new regulation prescribes a list of documents required for issuing a work permit to a family member of a highly qualified specialist.