Manitoba Provincial Nominee Program

Employer Direct Stream
What is Employer Direct?

- Is a priority assessment stream that helps employers recruit and retain foreign workers with the required skills for a position they have been unable to fill locally, i.e. with a Canadian Citizen or permanent resident.
Employer Direct Stream Eligibility

1) Must be employed full time in Manitoba with a temporary work permit,

2) have been working for that same employer continuously for at least (6) months, and

3) have received an offer of full-time, permanent or long-term employment from that employer upon completion of (6) months of employment in Manitoba.
Employer Direct Stream Process

1) Foreign worker obtains a job offer from a Manitoba employer- employer will require a positive labour market opinion from Service Canada-

2) Foreign worker applies for temporary work permit at visa post in their country of residence with positive labour market opinion in place

3) Upon completing (6) months of work experience for that employer and providing work permit is valid and employer is offering permanent full-time position, applicant applies to MPNP
MPNP gives letter to support temporary work permit if applicant:
• is approved Manitoba Nominee
• has confirmed job offer in assessed occupation
• has given job offer letter to MPNP

And if employer:
• Confirms full-time job to the applicant before his permanent resident status in Canada

MPNP support letter helps to get a temporary work permit from CIC, but does not guarantee one.