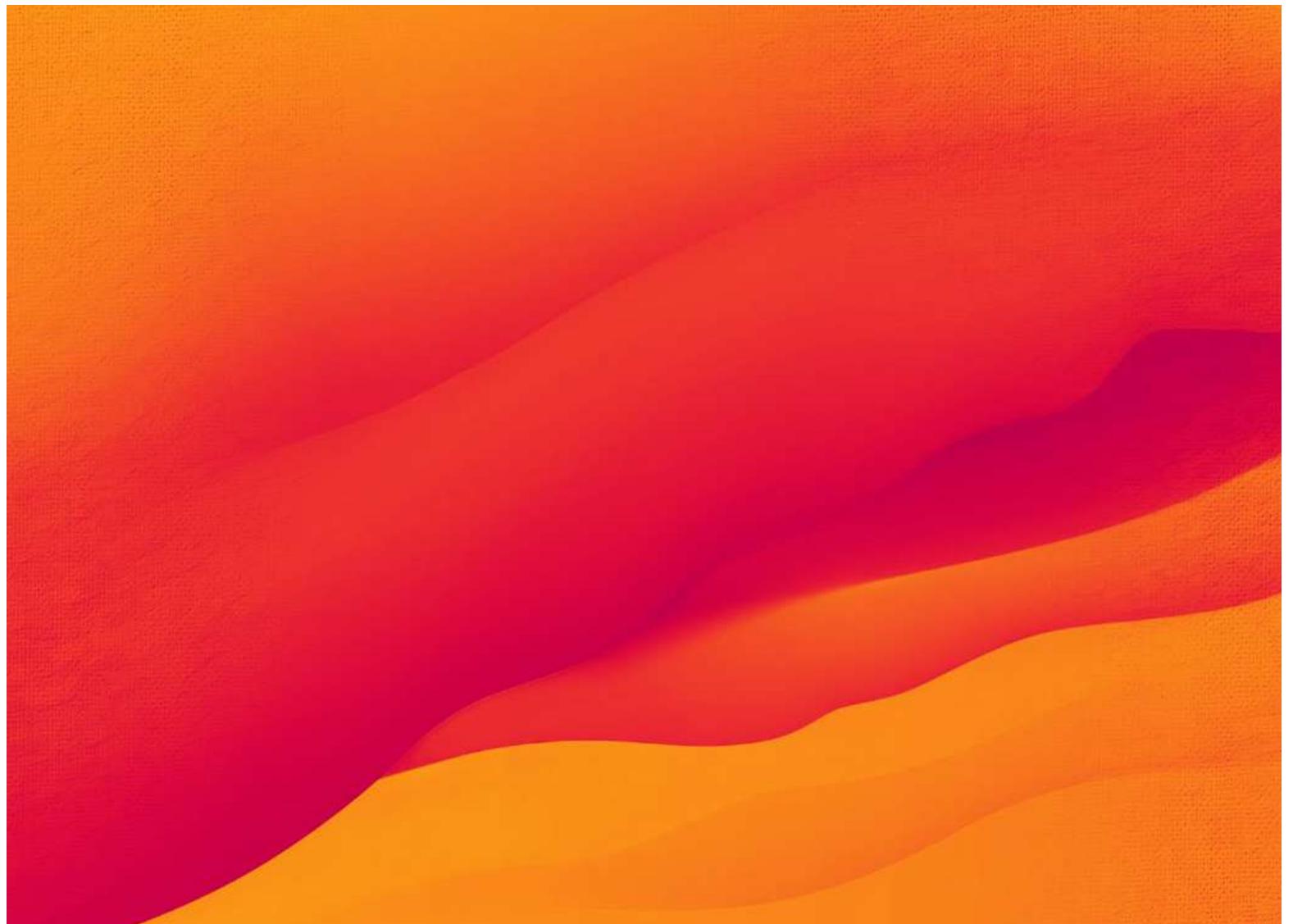


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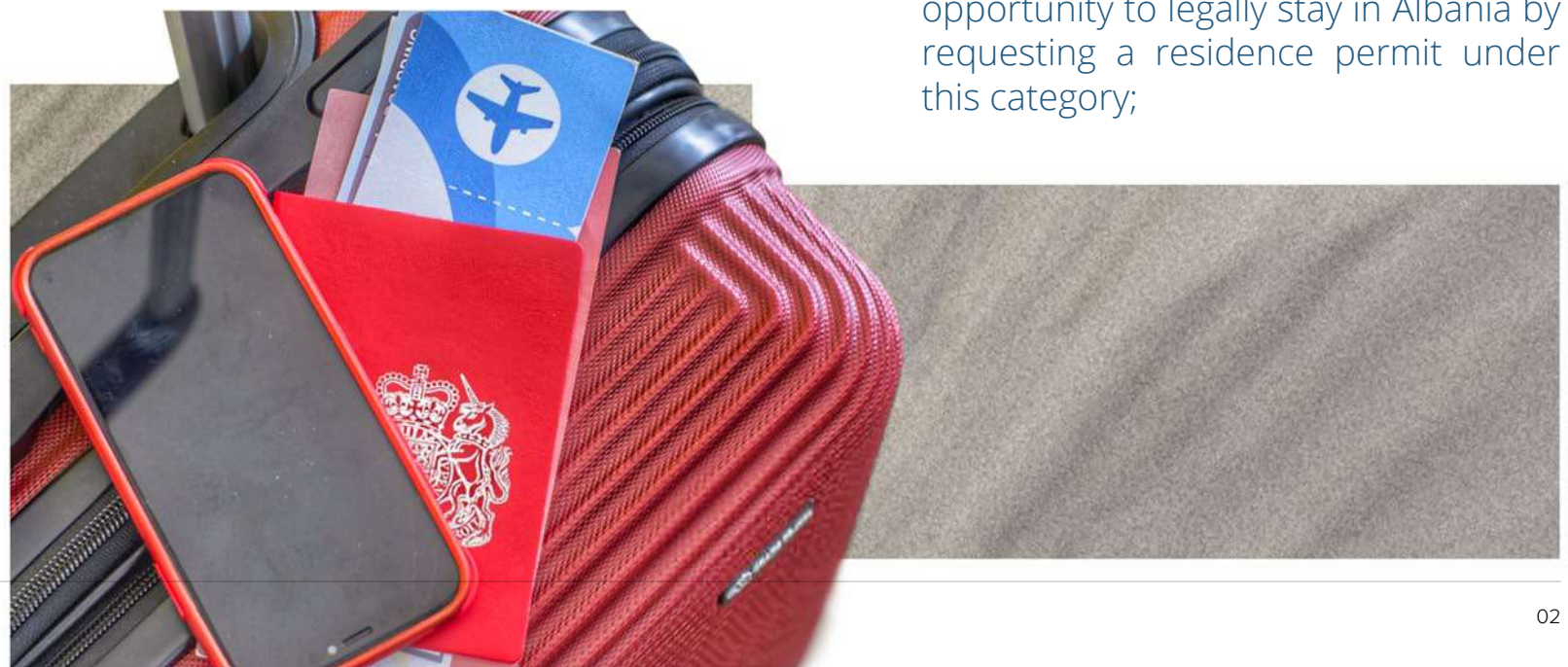
The Albanian Parliament has recently approved the Draft Law “On Foreigners” on 24.06.2021. The new Law on Foreigners aims to improve the legislative framework on immigration and introduced more relaxed rules on immigration. The new law is expected to enter in force 15 days upon its publication on the Official Gazette.

Some of the main changes introduces by the new law are:

a. The unique permit – guarantees a single application procedure, for foreigners indenting to work and stay in the territory of Republic of Albania. This Unique Permits will be issued for different reasons i.e. work purposes, self-employment, investment purposes etc.

b. AU pairs residence permit – provides for the foreigners aged 18-30, the opportunity to obtain residence Permit for au pairs.

c. Residence Permit for stateless persons – Now the stateless person has the opportunity to legally stay in Albania by requesting a residence permit under this category;



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- d.** Residence Permit for digitally mobile employees – this residence permit will be available for foreigners who do not work in a fixed location and their work is mainly mobile work and the main means of work are tools of information technology;
- e.** Residence Permits for retirees – foreign nationals who are retired in the home country shall have the opportunity to apply for Albanian Residence Permit for retirees if they prefer Albania as a destination to live. The residence permit for this category shall have a one year validity and does not entitle the retirees to perform any kind of economic or professional activity.
- f.** Temporary Residence Permit for exploitation of immovable property located in Albania – will be provided to foreigners who prove ownership of immovable property in Albania ■



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E-invoicing and Monitoring System

The Council of Ministers has decided to postpone the application of penalties regarding the deadlines for entry into force and implementation of the law “On Invoice and Turnover Monitoring System”.

Thus, the administrative penalties shall be applied only after January 1, 2022. ■



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Reminder On Implementation Of The New Fiscalization System In Albania

In the framework of the implementation of the new Fiscalization System in Albania, we remind you that **starting from July 1st 2021**, all the **businesses** that perform **cashless sales transactions**, known as the Business to Business Transactions, might be done only through the new rules of Fiscalisation.

In this regards, all the businesses shall complete the following steps:

- apply and obtain *Fiscal Certificate* through e-Albania Portal;
- be registered in *Selfcare Portal*;



Furthermore, fiscalisation will be applied also to all the businesses that perform **cash sales transactions**, known as the Business to Client Transactions starting from **September 1st 2021**. ■





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