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Dear Madam , Dear Sir ,

As a French Graduate , living and working in Australia for nearly 6 years now , I agree with the relaxation of the rules of 7 pass mark of the IELTS for IMGs.

I do not think the Academic IELTS is a relevant tool in order to assess the accuracy and the comfort an applicant manages English Language the OELTS is by far a better tool in this matter, with a great advantage is that you keep the benefit of the segment you passed , thus you do not have to resit everything again for one failed . last but not least , could we please explain to DIAC How stupid it seems to request for somebody like me who sat and passed the IELTS in 2007 prior to emigrate in Australia , the IELTS again in 2016 when I will finally be able to lodge my application for Permanent residency , having in the interim worked continuously as a GP , having sat 20 plus exams for my AMC . FRACGP , FARGP, FACRRM , having supervised Medical students interns and registrars , having worked as an examiner for the RACGP Fellowship exams and having taught Medicine at [REDACTED] University .

best regards

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