

Directive 2014/36/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council  
of 26 February 2014 on the conditions of entry and stay of third-  
country nationals for the purpose of employment as seasonal workers

CHAPTER III

**PROCEDURE AND AUTHORISATIONS  
FOR THE PURPOSE OF SEASONAL WORK**

*Article 20*

**Accommodation**

- 1 Member States shall require evidence that the seasonal worker will benefit from accommodation that ensures an adequate standard of living according to national law and/or practice, for the duration of his or her stay. The competent authority shall be informed of any change of accommodation of the seasonal worker.
- 2 Where accommodation is arranged by or through the employer:
  - a the seasonal worker may be required to pay a rent which shall not be excessive compared with his or her net remuneration and compared with the quality of the accommodation. The rent shall not be automatically deducted from the wage of the seasonal worker;
  - b the employer shall provide the seasonal worker with a rental contract or equivalent document in which the rental conditions of the accommodation are clearly stated;
  - c the employer shall ensure that the accommodation meets the general health and safety standards in force in the Member State concerned.