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Title :	Interpretation of Article 4 of the Overseas Compatriot Identity Certification Act concerning the calculations of the period of residence overseas or in the place of overseas residence for applicants who have resumed nationality of the R.O.C. (TAIWAN) 
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Content :	For applicants who have resumed nationality of the R.O.C. (TAIWAN), the calculations of the residence period abroad or in the place of residence overseas as stipulated in Article 4 of the Overseas Compatriot Identity Certification Act are as follows: 1. “Accumulating residence overseas for at least four years” as stipulated in Item 2, Subparagraph 1 and Item 2, Subparagraph 2, Paragraph 1, Article 4 of the Overseas Compatriot Identity Certification Act does not include the period when the applicant has lost the R.O.C. (TAIWAN) nationality. However, the periods before loss of the R.O.C. (TAIWAN) nationality and after the date when the applicant has resumed the R.O.C. (TAIWAN) nationality may be counted. 2. “Continuously residing in the place of residence overseas for six months, or accumulating residence overseas for at least eight months of each year in the past two years at the place of residence overseas” as stipulated in Item 3, Subparagraph 1 and Item 3, Subparagraph 2, Paragraph 1, Article 4 the Overseas Compatriot Identity Certification Act does not include the period when the applicant has lost the R.O.C. (TAIWAN) nationality. The periods before loss of the R.O.C. (TAIWAN) nationality and after the date when the applicant has resumed the R.O.C. (TAIWAN) nationality may also not be counted together.

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