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Canada is putting skilled British workers on a fast track for immigration visas to exploit our high cost of living.

Its officials believe better public services and a more stable economic environment will attract Britons fed up with fuel and food prices and with the state of schools and hospitals.

The Canadians want doctors, teachers, nurses, electricians, carpenters, engineers, construction workers, management consultants, and cardiac and diabetic specialists.

Anyone of any age can apply, although workers who have certain skills and experience will be fast-tracked for visas.

Mr Goudreau, who has been in Britain for a week, said: 'Somebody from London might be able to sell their small apartment and come to Alberta where they can buy a detached house with a huge backyard and huge front yard for the same amount.

'The cost of living is considerably less than in the UK. Our salaries are comparable or even higher, so anyone who moves over would be able to make money and set some aside. There is beautiful scenery, the health care system is second to none in the world and our educational system is second to none in the world. We have some of the lowest business taxes, there is no province sales tax on goods.'

Alberta’s population is 3.4million - less than half London's - and it covers an area twice as big as Japan!!

Last night, medical experts warned of the dangers if too many workers are attracted by the offer.

A British Medical Association spokesman said: 'Potentially Canada's gain is the UK's loss because we will lose highly trained and skilled doctors.