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### **REQUIREMENTS FOR VISA APPLICATION TO THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

1. Fully completed visa application form. **(DHA-84) Form 11, signed and dated by the APPLICANT.**
2. Two **RECENT** coloured passport size photographs.
3. **Visa fees OR 60.00; Fees are levied per application and are not refundable.**  
**Visa application must be submitted in person for adults (18 and above),** In case of minors under 18, both parents must be present with their identification upon submission of application with full birth certificate of minors.
4. Valid passport (passport must be valid for no less than 30 days after the expiry of the intended visit and containing **at least 2 blank pages for endorsement** when presented at the port of Entry).
5. **Copy of passport, Omani ID, copy of valid residence permit (Iqama) and copy of exit-re-entry visa for Noncitizens of Oman).**
6. Letter from employer stating that the applicant has a long-term work contract and will be returning to his employment (Salary & Position) stamped by the Chamber of Commerce and industries.
7. Proof of financial means in the form of: **Itemized bank statement for the recent 3 months in English stamped by the bank.**
8. Accommodation: Hotel Reservation, or the letter of invitation signed by S.A host, and copy of S.A. ID attached, Proof of residential address to be provided by the host (i.e; Municipality statement/Rates & taxes/Water & electricity statement).
9. Reservation for: Return or onward air ticket.
10. In terms of a visitor's visa for business purposes, a letter of invitation from the South African Company, and similar letter from the local, Omani Company or from the Learning Institution if visiting for Exams.
11. The South Africa Embassy reserves the right to request any additional documents/information.
12. If a child is travelling with one parent the other must give a letter of consent.
13. A letter of consent from parents if children are travelling with the guardian.
14. **For Applicants who will be staying for a period of more than 90 days, (DHA-1738) Form 8 must be completed, and a Police clearance certificate is required which is not older than 6 months authenticated by the police department. A police clearance certificate shall only be required from the police or security authorities in each country where the applicant, after having attained the age of 18 years, has resided for 12 months or longer during the five years immediately preceding the date of application. Medical Reports (12 years and above) from the Doctor or Hospital with approved stamp.**
15. Visa/Permit applications for a period of over 3 months take 8 weeks to adjudicate.

#### **PLEASE NOTE:**

- An application for visa must be made with original forms, original signature, original stamped/authenticated supporting documents (no copies)
- The completion of visa application is no guarantee that the visa will be granted.
- Only computerized passports will be accepted, **NOT HANDWRITTEN PASSPORTS.**
- Computerized passports with manual validity extension/renewal will not be accepted.
- Each applicant including children must have his/her own passport.
- All supporting documents must be provided in English or officially translated by certified translation office.
- Consular Hours: 10:00 to 1:30 (**Passport collection, Receiving of Visa Application forms** will be from Sunday to Wednesday ONLY).
- Issuing of a visa takes (5) five working days.
- **Working hours of the Consulate : 09:30 to 3:30**
- In the case of a person who overstays for a period not exceeding 30 days, will be declared undesirable for a period of 12 months. A person who overstays for the second time within a period of 24 months, will be declared undesirable for a period of two years and; and in the case of a person who overstays for more than 30 days, be declared undesirable for a period of five years.
- **NB: All documents not in English, must be translated to English by certified translation office**
- **Full list of various categories of visa available on [www.dha.gov.za](http://www.dha.gov.za) under Immigration**