



RESIDENCE VISA DUE TO INVESTMENT

Foreigners with a business or businesses established and operating in the Dominican Republic.

Requirements:

1. **Visa form** duly completed in legible handwriting or typed. Available in the website portal of consular services accessed at www.consuladord.com.
2. One (1) frontal side color **photograph** size 5 x 5 cm. (2 x 2 in), with a white background, without glasses, accessories and without smiling.
3. **Original passport and color copy** with a minimum valid term of eighteen (18) months. **Resident Card (in the event of not being a citizen)**. Submit copies in color.
4. **Driving License:** Submit color copy.
5. **Letter requesting the visa** signed by the beneficiary and directed to the corresponding consul official indicating: the name of the beneficiary, nationality, place of residence, productive activity that the person will engage in, and information as to how you project to establish yourself in the country in capacity investor. This letter is not legalized, nor apostilled. It must be typewritten and in Spanish.
6. **Birth certificate or naturalization:**
 - **Birth Certificate** original duly [apostilled](#) or [legalized](#), as appropriate.
 - **Naturalization** [Notarized](#) as a [true copy](#) of the original, [duly apostilled](#) or [legalized](#), as appropriate.

Note: If it is written in a language other than the Spanish, it must be [translated](#) and [notarized](#) by a certified and professional translator. The translation must be [apostilled](#). **Present its original with the translation.**
7. **Certificate of No Criminal History** [apostilled](#) or [legalized](#), as appropriate, issued by the maximum hierarchy authorities (federal in case of a Federal State), corresponding to the last country in which the interested applicant was domiciled at for the last five (5) years. If the interested applicant has resided in the Dominican Republic, the stated document should be issued by the Attorney General's Office for the Republic. If it is written in a language other than the Spanish, it must be [translated](#) and [notarized](#) by a certified and professional translator. The translation must be [apostilled](#). **Present its original with the translation. This document is valid for nueve (9) months.** Not required for minors.

8. Medical certificate reflecting a diagnosis of the applicant's general health status indicating if they suffer from some sort of infectious contagious disease and if is able to travel. It must be issued by the relevant healthcare authorities of the last country in which the interested person was domiciled in a letterhead paper, with stamp and signature of Doctor's Office In the event that the interested person resides in the Dominican Republic, stated document shall be issued by a medical laboratory or clinic registered by the Ministry of Public Health. If it is written in a language other than the Spanish, it must be **translated** and **notarized** by a certified and professional translator. The translation must be **apostilled**. **Present its original with the translation. This document is valid for three (3) months.**

9. Investor Certificate, according to the classification described below:

- **Private investors:** must present copy of the certification issued by the Center for Export and Investment of the Dominican Republic (CEI-RD).
- Companies operating under the **Free Trade Zone Regime** must present copy of the certification of the National Council for Free Trade Zones.
- **Foreign Companies Contracted or Subcontracted by the Executive Branch:** must present copy of the contract or the Official Gazette where the contract with the Dominican State is published.
- **Border Development Projects:** must present certification of the National Council for Border Development.
- **Tourism Development Projects:** can be credited by the Center for Export and Investment of the Dominican Republic (CEI-RD), as well as by the Ministry of Tourism.

Note: The originals of these documents should be presented. The value of the investment should be equal to or more than **US\$200,000.00** between investment capital of the company and assets. Present documents that reflect evidence of the investment.

10. Present the Administrative Council Meeting Minutes of the company in a certified copy from the original.

11. Certification of Tax Obligations issued by the DGII (reflecting that all taxes have been paid and in compliance). Certification of compliance as of the present day certify that the company does not yield any pending payments in regard to their fiscal obligations.

12. Documents that demonstrate financial solvency. Can be demonstrated by one (1) or more of the following documents:

- Bank statements for the last three (3) months. Must contain **letter head** and **properly signed** and **stamped**, by the representative of the financial institution.
- Bank Letter: updated with details of the account balance. It should be on letter head paper stamped and signed by a manager of the institution.
- Copies of certificates of real estate titles (must present the original at the time of submission).
- Copy of Financial Certificates.

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13. MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE (If applicable).

- **If the marriage occurred abroad:**
 - **Marriage Certificate**, duly [apostilled](#) or [legalized](#), as appropriate, [translated](#) into Spanish and [notarized](#). The translation must be [apostilled](#). **Submit original and the translation.** With issue date of no more than one (1) year.
- **If your marriage occurred in the Dominican Republic:**
 - **Marriage Certificate** [notarized](#) with an issue date of no more than three (3) months.

DISCLAIMERS

- The Ministry of Foreign Affairs reserves the right to request any other additional documents and schedule interviews in cases deemed necessary to assess the application.
- The Ministry of Foreign Affairs reserves the right to approve or refuse the visa application.
- As of the print date, the residence Visa (RS) will have a period of sixty (60) days to enter the Dominican Republic. After arriving on Dominican territory, you [have a term of thirty \(30\) days to present](#) before the General Directorate of Migration (DGM) in order to formalize the steps required for their residence or temporary permit, and must complete additional requirements stipulated by Law 631-11 which applies to the General Migration Law No. 285-04.