

## PANAMA VISA

Indian nationals can obtain a visa on arrival in Panama if they are a US, UK, Canada, Schengen, Singapore, Japan, South Korea or Australian visa holder with a minimum validity of 1 year at the time of entering Panama. This visa should not be a transit visa and will be issued subject to the conditions mentioned below:

- \* Have a valid passport with a minimum of three months of validity left.
- \*Confirmed Travel Itinerary- showing entry and exit from Panama
- \* Pproof of economic solvency for a minimum of US \$500.00 upon entry

| <b>Passport</b>                          | *The Applicant should have a valid passport and photocopy of the passport is also required<br>* Original old passport booklets if any                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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| <b>Photographs</b>                       | * 3 recent passport-size photograph.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Visa Form</b>                         | *One application form to be filled in completely and signed by the applicant.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>Covering Letter</b>                   | * A covering Letter from the Applicant addressed to The Visa Officer, Embassy of Panama giving the purpose of travel.<br>* Covering Letter can be on a plain paper for individuals and on the company letterhead for officials / sponsored applicants                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Bank Statements</b>                   | *Original bank solvency letter of the applicant with the name of the manager and the seal of the Bank mentioning the a/c no. And balance equivalent of USD 500 or more<br>* Original 3 months personal and company's bank statements with the seal and signature from the bank (Duly attested by the notary public, Apostilled by Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, India and Translated in Spanish by an authorized translator).<br>* Bank statements should be of relevant and active accounts which shows the proof of funds and income<br>* Bank statements should be of a closing date closer to the date of visa application (A4 size preferred)<br>*Letter from bank certifying opening date and good handling of your account                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>IT Returns</b>                        | *Income Tax Returns for the last 1 year.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>Itinerary / Air tickets</b>           | * A confirmed/ onward return air ticket<br>* Day wise itinerary of the tour                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>Purpose of Travel / Accommodation</b> | *Letter from the company/applicant mentioning reason for travel to panama (Duly attested by the notary public, Apostilled by Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, India and Translated in Spanish by an authorized translator).<br>*Second ID proof of residence (aadhar card/voter's id/driving license) of the applicant in India. (Duly attested by the notary public, apostilled by Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, India and translated in Spanish by an authorized translator).<br>*Letter of invitation from Panama duly notarized in Panama<br>* Copy of the passport in case the person is a foreigner who is inviting, copy of any public bill showing the residential address of the invitee and the Bank solvency letter of the resident of Panama. (In Spanish).<br>*Travel itinerary-showing entry and exit from panama.<br>*Hotel confirmation (wherever applicable).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>Supporting Credentials</b>            | <p><b>Businessmen:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Proprietorship certificate / Certificate of Registration / Memorandum of Association, Articles of Association / PartnershipDeed</li> <li>* NOC from other partners or Directors incase of partnership</li> </ul> <p><b>Employees:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Leave sanction letter from the company (from the Government body incase of Government employees / public servants)</li> <li>* Last 3 months Salary Statements (only for Private firms)</li> <li>* Company ID card (optional)</li> <li>* Retirement Certificate or Letter / Copy of Pension Book (for retired employees)</li> <li>* Pension statements for the last three months;</li> </ul> <p><b>Students:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Leave sanction letter from the educational institution (for travel during working days)</li> <li>*Bonafide Certificate from the educational institution (for travel during vacations)</li> <li>* School/ College ID card (optional)</li> </ul> <p><b>Newly Wed / Honeymooners (if the spouse's name is not endorsed in their passports):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Marriage Certificate (Original)</li> <li>* Wedding Invitation card / Photographs (incase the marriage certificate is not ready)</li> </ul> <p><b>Children travelling and unaccompanied by both the parents / either parent</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* A notary attested NOC on a stamp paper from both / either of the parent respectively if both/either of them unaccompany</li> <li>* Passport copies / copy of both / either of the parents</li> <li>*In case parents don't have passports , birth certificate of the applicant and copies of the ID cards of the parents.</li> </ul> <p><b>Travellers unaccompanied by spouses/partners</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* A notary attested NOC on a stamp paper from the unaccompanied spouse</li> <li>* Passport copy of the unaccompanied spouse. If not a passport holder, any Govt ID Proof mentioning spouse name can be submitted.</li> </ul> <p><b>Additional supporting documents if available</b></p> |

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| <b>Disclaimers</b> | *Adhaar card (along with a photocopy)                                                                                                                                                                             |
|                    | * FD Receipts from banks                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|                    | * Public shares / debentures certificate                                                                                                                                                                          |
|                    | * Asset evaluation report from a CA                                                                                                                                                                               |
|                    | * All copies of documents must be photocopied and in A4 size paper                                                                                                                                                |
|                    | * The above list of documents are the standard requirements for the visa application. The Embassy / Consulate/ High Commission/ Application Centres hold the rights to demand further documents for verification. |
|                    | * The Embassy / Consulate / High Commission hold the rights to call the applicant for a Personal Interview if needed                                                                                              |
|                    | * BPVS offers Visa Facilitation services to our customers against a Service Fee                                                                                                                                   |
|                    | * BPVS at no stage guarantees the outcome of any visa application. The decisions on the Visa applications would be at the sole discretion of the respective Embassy/ Consulate / High Commission                  |

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