

PLEASE READ THESE NOTES CAREFULLY BEFORE FILLING IN THE APPLICATION FORM.

GENERAL:

Papua New Guinea welcomes tourists and visitors. Our country is a rapidly developing country and has great need of skilled people to help in its development. This country has its own immigration and labour legislation, the administration of which is the responsibility of the Ministers of the Papua New Guinea National Parliament.

All persons entering Papua New Guinea must have a valid permit and passport to enter. Permits are issued only for the purpose and period stated in the application.

The main conditions for issue of permits that are common to all applicants are that they must have accommodation available, be not adversely recorded from a security point of view, be of good character, and be physically and mentally healthy.

An entry permit may be cancelled at any time.

TOURISTS/VISITORS

Tourists and visitors can obtain entry permits for up to two months, provided they satisfy the general conditions mentioned above and

- (a) have a return or onward airline ticket to a destination beyond Papua New Guinea and authority to enter therein;
- (b) have funds to maintain themselves (K300.00 a month) or will be maintained by relatives;
- (c) they do not engage in any form of employment whether paid or unpaid; and,
- (d) any other conditions that may be imposed on arrival.

OTHER NON-WORKING ENTRANTS

Persons entering for entertainment, research, filming, journalism, aid or religious purposes must state the

purpose of their visit when lodging the request for an entry permit. This statement must be supported, in writing, by a sponsor in PNG.

ENTRY FOR EMPLOYMENT

Papua New Guinea regulates entry of immigrants seeking employment in the country.

Under the *Employment (Training and Regulations) Act 1971*, which is administered by the Department of Labour and Employment, an immigrant cannot engage in any form of employment whether paid or unpaid, unless prior approval is given by the Department of Labour and Employment to the prospective employer, upon written request.

An immigrant who is employed or accepts employment without approval by the Department of Labour and Employment, becomes a prohibited immigrant and is liable for prosecution and deportation. Regular inspections are carried out by inspectors under the Act in Papua New Guinea to ensure these requirements are observed.

WARNING:

Persons who do not observe the following requirements are liable to heavy penalties under Papua New Guinea Immigration Law.

- 1) Entry permit holders must ensure that they always have a valid permit and passport. Holders of expired or cancelled entry permits are prohibited immigrants and may be deported.
- 2) The *Migration Act 1976* lays down penalties for persons who deliver or otherwise furnish for official purposes of the government, documents containing information or statements that are false or misleading.



Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

APPLICATION FOR ENTRY PERMIT

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Please read the notes on the rear of this form before completing the form.
2. A separate form is required for each person seeking entry to PNG who is travelling on their own passport. Where the application is in respect of a child under 16 years of age, both parents must sign the application.
3. Please write legibly or use a typewriter and answer all questions as fully as possible.
4. The completed form and the applicant's passport should be sent to one of the addresses on the reverse of this form.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Received: / / By: _____
 File No: _____ Group: _____
 Receipt: _____ ICD Clear: / /
 EPIS Registered on: / /
 Decision: _____ / /
 Applicant Notified on: / /

TICK THE PURPOSE AND CIRCLE A DESCRIPTION OF YOUR VISIT TO PNG:

<input type="checkbox"/> Visitor	<input type="checkbox"/> Working Resident	<input type="checkbox"/> Short-term Employment Consultant/Specialist	<input type="checkbox"/> Student	<input type="checkbox"/> Occupational Trainee
<input type="checkbox"/> Tourist - Tour Package	<input type="checkbox"/> Businessperson/Investor	<input type="checkbox"/> Dependant of Citizen	<input type="checkbox"/> Formal Education	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tourist - Own Itinerary	<input type="checkbox"/> Employment		<input type="checkbox"/> Special Exemption	<input type="checkbox"/> Melanesian Spearhead Diplomat
<input type="checkbox"/> Visiting Relative	<input type="checkbox"/> Working Dependant		<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Official	<input type="checkbox"/> Researcher/Academic
<input type="checkbox"/> Business	<input type="checkbox"/> Short-term Multiple Entry	<input type="checkbox"/> Charity: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Film-maker	<input type="checkbox"/> Religious Worker
		<input type="checkbox"/> Musician	<input type="checkbox"/> Aid Worker/Volunteer	<input type="checkbox"/> Sportsperson
		<input type="checkbox"/> Comedian	<input type="checkbox"/> Film-maker (Non-commercial)	<input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Worker
		<input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Exchange	<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Relief Worker	

Accompanying another applicant as a dependant on my own passport

HOW LONG DO YOU WISH TO STAY IN PNG: Days: _____ Months: _____ or _____ Years: _____

PERSONAL DETAILS:

Family Name: _____ Given Names: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Sex: Male Female

Day: _____ Month: _____ Year: _____

Country of Birth: _____ Nationality: _____

Passport Number: _____ Expiry Date: _____

Day: _____ Month: _____ Year: _____

Passport Issue Date: _____ Passport Issuing Place: _____

Day: _____ Month: _____ Year: _____

Passport Issuing Authority: _____

Marital Status: Never Married Married De facto Widowed Divorced

Occupation: _____

Departure to PNG: _____ Arrival in PNG: _____

Name of Vessel/Flight: _____ Port: _____

Date: _____ Date: _____

TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS:

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| FIJI:
Papua New Guinea Embassy
PQ Box 2447
SUVA | USA:
Papua New Guinea Embassy
1615 New Hampshire Avenue
Suite 300
WASHINGTON DC 20009 |
| UNITED KINGDOM:
Papua New Guinea High Commission
14 Waterloo Place
LONDON SW1R 4AR | INDONESIA:
Papua New Guinea Embassy
Panin Bank Centre, 6th Floor
Jalan Jendral Sudirman 1
JAKARTA 10270 |
| EUROPEAN COMMUNITY:
Papua New Guinea Embassy
Avenue De Tervuren, 430
1150 BRUSSELS | MALAYSIA:
Papua New Guinea High Commission
No. 5, Jalan U Thant
55000 KUALA LUMPUR |
| SINGAPORE:
Papua New Guinea High Commission
300 Beach Road #31-05
The Concourse
SINGAPORE 0719 | ALL OTHER COUNTRIES:
The nearest Australian Diplomatic Mission |

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|---|--|
| NEW ZEALAND:
PNG High Commission
279 Willis Street
PO Box 197
WELLINGTON | NEW ZEALAND: Queensland:
Papua New Guinea Consulate
15 Lake Street
PO Box 81-14
CAIRNS QLD 4870 |
| JAPAN:
Papua New Guinea Embassy
Mita Kokusai Building 3F 313
4-28 Mita 1-Chome
TOKYO | PHILIPPINES:
Papua New Guinea Embassy
280 Magnolia Street
Dasmarinas Village
MAKATI METRO MANILA |
| SOLOMON ISLANDS:
Papua New Guinea High Commission
PO Box 1109
HONIARA | Other South Wales and all other States:
PNG Consulate General
100 Clarence Street
PO Box 4201
SYDNEY NSW 2001 |

For entry for the purposes of employment:

Please attach copies of the following documents:

- A letter of offer of employment from your PNG sponsor.
- The letter of approval of your work permit, including the work permit number, position number and expiry date.
- A certificate of good health from a registered doctor, a recent chest X-ray, and the results of a recent HIV test.
- A statement of your good character from your local police authorities.

For all other types of entry:

How will you be funding your stay in PNG?

- Salary
- Company sponsor
- Own funds
- Family

If you have ever changed your name, are known by an alias, or own another passport, please provide details:

PREVIOUS NAME/ALIAS DETAILS:
 Family Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Sex: _____ Marital Status: _____
 Given Names: _____

OTHER PASSPORTS:

Country of Issue: _____ Passport Number: _____ Passport Expiry Date: _____

ORGANISATIONAL SPONSOR:

Organisation Name: _____ Agent: _____
 Contact Address Number and Street: _____
 Suburb/Town: _____ State/Province: _____ Postcode: _____
 Country: _____ Business Telephone: _____ Facsimile: _____

Have you visited PNG before: Yes No

If yes, please give details of your last visit

Date: _____ Purpose of visit: _____ Duration of visit: _____ Address during stay: _____
 Day: _____ Month: _____ Year: _____

Have you been convicted of a criminal offence: Yes No

If yes, please give details of the date, nature of offence, place of conviction and the penalty imposed.

Have you been deported from, or refused entry to Papua New Guinea, or any other country: Yes No

If yes, please give details.

Have you been a patient in a mental home/institution, or do you suffer from a disease which may constitute a health risk to Papua New Guinea: Yes No

If yes, please give details.

RESIDENTIAL:

Number and Street: _____ Postcode: _____
 Suburb/Town: _____ State/Province: _____
 Country: _____ Home Telephone: _____ Business Telephone: _____
 PNG: _____
 Number and Street: _____
 Town/Village: _____ Province: _____
 Postal Address: _____ Home Telephone: _____ Business Telephone: _____

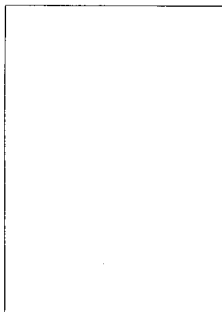
EMERGENCY CONTACT:

Family name: _____ Given Names: _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____
 Contact Address Number and Street: _____
 Suburb/Town: _____ State/Province: _____ Postcode: _____
 Country: _____ Home Telephone: _____ Business Telephone: _____

DECLARATION:

By signing this form, I,..... declare that the information provided on the form is true and correct, and that I have disclosed all information that may be relevant to determining whether I should be granted an entry permit to travel to and stay in Papua New Guinea.

PHOTOGRAPH



Signature of Applicant/Parents/Guardian: _____ Date: ____/____/____