## RESIDENCY VISA FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF RESIDENCE FOR PENSIONERS, RELIGIOUS PURPOSES OR PEOPLE LIVING ON THEIR OWN INCOME

Applicant's name(s) and surname(s):		
Email address: Direct phone number:		
Purpose for traveling to Portugal:		
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS		
	YES	NO
National Visa application form filled in and duly signed by the applicant;		
2 identical passport-sized photographs, recent and in good condition to identify the applicant (1 attached to the form).  (Picture must have a white background, neutral facial expression, from shoulder to top of head, ears showing.)		
Passport or other travel document, valid for at least 3 months beyond the intended period of stay;		
(Notarized colored) Photocopy of passport (biographical data).		
<b>Proof of regular status</b> , if of other nationality than that of the country where applying for a visa, valid beyond the date of expiry of the visa you are applying for.		
<b>For non-nationals only</b> - Proof of Address in USA: Copy of Lease agreement and/or copy of driver's license. (optional requirement, serves as additional proof of legal resident status)		$\boxtimes$
<b>Valid travel insurance</b> , covering necessary medical expenses, including urgent medical assistance and possible repatriation.		
Police clearance certificate issued less than 90 days before the submission of the visa application, by the competent authority of the applicant's country of nationality or the country where the applicant has resided for over a year, with the Hague Apostille. If the applicant has resided in the USA for over a year, the police clearance certificate must be issued by the FBI, duly apostilled (Hague Apostille) and issued less than 90 days before the submission of the visa application.		
<b>Personal Statement:</b> Statement signed by applicant specifying reason for settling in Portugal, intended area of residency and type of accommodations (rental, purchase of private property, or family home).		
<b>Accommodation:</b> The applicant is required to demonstrate that they have secured a permanent accommodation in Portugal for a minimum period of 12 months.		
<b>Proof of financial resources</b> for a period of at least 12 months, under the provisions laid out on the nº 2 of article 2 of Ordinance nº 1563/2007, of 11 <sup>th</sup> of December. (For 1 adult 12 minimum wages in savings. Second or more adults,		

extra 50% of the amount per adult. For children under 18, extra 30% of the amount per child.)			
SPECIFIC DOCUMENTS			
<ul> <li>Religious purposes:</li> <li>Sponsorship letter; and,</li> <li>Document certifying the applicant's status as a minister of worship or as a member of an institute of consecrated life, issued by the church or religious community to which he belongs, duly legalised under the Portuguese legal system (nominal invitation).</li> </ul>			
Means of support can be reduced by half when proved that the applicant has secured, in any way, accommodation or up to 90% of the amount when demonstrated that food is also secured.			
<ul> <li>Pensioners:</li> <li>Document proving the amount of the pension;</li> <li>Document proving the guarantee of receipt or availability of other income in national territory (Portuguese bank account).</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>People living on their own income:</li> <li>Documents proving the existence and amount of income from movable or immovable property, intellectual property and/or financial investments; and,</li> <li>Document proving the availability of such income in national territory (Portuguese bank account).</li> </ul>			
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<ul> <li>CPLP citizens are exempt from presenting:         <ul> <li>Travel insurance,</li> <li>Return transport ticket; and,</li> </ul> </li> <li>Means of support, upon presentation of a sponsorship letter, with a legalised signature, issued by a Portuguese or a foreign citizen with a residence permit in Portugal, covering lodging and boarding, as well as all the removal costs, in case of irregular stay, accompanied by the following supporting documents:</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Income Tax Return (IRS) of the subscriber (last year available); and</li> <li>Bank statements of the subscriber (last 3 months).</li> </ul>			

## Note:

- Consult the legislation in force in <a href="https://vistos.mne.gov.pt/en/national-visas/national-legislation">https://vistos.mne.gov.pt/en/national-visas/national-legislation</a>
- Applicants are required to pay the Visa Fee for National Visa D/E (all categories) by way of money order or Banker / Cashier check in favor of the "Consulate General of Portugal". VFS Service Fee can be paid via Debit/Credit card at the center while submitting the application
- For any inquiries, please contact us at <a href="https://visa.vfsglobal.com/usa/en/prt/contact-us">https://visa.vfsglobal.com/usa/en/prt/contact-us</a>

## **DECLARATION**

(Applicant's name(s) and surname(s)),
Declare that:
☐ I pretend that my visa application be examined by the Consular Post with the missing documents marked in the attached checklist;
☐ I hereby acknowledge that:
- The Job Seeker Visa does not provide the possibility to apply for a family member accompanying visa.
- Failure to submit all the necessary documents may lead to the rejection of the visa application.
- The Consular Post reserves the right to request supplementary documents in necessary.
- If the Consular Post requests additional documents or missing documents to the applicant, the examination of the application is suspended until its submission.
- Even if all the requested documents are submitted, it does not imply that a visa will automatically be granted. The visa fee is not refunded if the visa is refused.
- Any false statement will result in the refusal of the visa application or the annulment of a visa that has already been granted and may subject me to legal action under Portuguese law.
- All communications and notifications regarding the visa application may be sent to the electronic address indicated in field 19 of the visa application form, and shall be considered to have been made, pursuant to and for the purposes of article 113 (5 and 6) of the Code of Administrative Procedure, in the moment the applicant access to the specific mail sent or, in the event of no access to the electronic mailbox, on the fifth working day after it is sent.
Date:/
Signature: