



# Department of Foreign Affairs and Immigration

## APPLICATION FOR ENTRY PERMIT

### INSTRUCTION

1. A separate form is required for each person seeking entry to PNG who is traveling on their own passport. Where the application is in respect of a child under 16 years of age, both parents must sign the application
2. Please write legibly or use a typewriter and answer all questions as fully as possible.
3. The completed form and the applicant's passport should be sent to:  
 The Director General  
 Immigration and Citizenship Division  
 PO Box 422  
 WAIGANI

### 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"/> <b>Visitor</b> Tourist – Tour Package      Journalist Tourist – Own Itinerary      Yachtsperson	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Working Resident</b> Businessperson/Investor Employment Working Dependant	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Student</b> Formal Education Occupational Trainee
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Business</b> Short-term Multiple Entry	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Special Exemption</b> Foreign Official Aid Worker/Volunteer Film-maker (Non-commercial) Emergency Relief Worker Medical	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Entertainer</b> Commercial: Film maker      Comedian      Musician Charity: Gospel Group      Cultural Exchange Melanesian Spear Diplomat Researcher/Academic Religious Worker Sportsman Domestic Worker
<input type="checkbox"/> Accompanying another applicant as a dependant on my own passport.		

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

### PERSONAL DETAILS:

Family Name <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>		Given Names <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	
<b>Date of Birth</b> <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/> Day      Month      Year		<b>Sex</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Never Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> De Facto	
Country of Birth <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>		Nationality <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	
Passport Number <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>		Expiry Date <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/> Day      Month      Year	
Passport Issue Date <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/> Day      Month      Year		Occupation <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	
Passport Issuing Place <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>		Passport Issuing Authority <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	
<b>TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS:</b>			
Name of Vessel/Flight <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>		Departure to PNG	
		Port: <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	
		Date: <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/> Day      Month      Year	
		Arrival in PNG	
		Port: <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/>	
		Date: <input style="width: 90%;" type="text"/> Year      Day      Month	

**For entry for the purpose 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 result of the 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 change your name, are known by an alias, or own another passport, please provide details:

PREVIUOS NAMES/ALIAS DETAILS:

Family Name	Given Names	Date of Birth	Sex	Marital Status
		/ /		

OTHER PASSPORTS:

Country of Issue	Passport Number	Passport Expiry Date

**ORGANISATIONAL SPONSOR:**

Organisational Name		Agent	
Contact Address Number and Street			
Suburb/Town	State/Province	Postcode	
Country	Business Telephone	Facsimile	
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**Have you visit 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.

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

If yes, please give details.

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

If Yes, please give details.

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**ADDRESS**

**RESIDENTIAL:**

Number and Street

Suburb/Town

State/Province

Postcode

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 disclose 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:        /        / .....

## PLEASE READ THIS NOTES CAREFULLY BEFORE FILLING IN THE APPLICATION FORM

### GENERAL:

Papua New Guinea welcome tourist and visitors. Our country is a rapidly developing country and has a 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 Minister of the Papua New Guinea National Parliament.

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

The main condition 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.

### TOURIST/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 from 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.

### ADDRESSES:

#### AUSTRALIA:

PNG Consulate General  
99 Creek Street  
PO Box 220  
BRISBANE QLD 4001

PNG High Commission  
39-41 Forster Crescent  
PO Box E 432  
PARKES ACT 2600

#### INDONESIA:

Papua New Guinea Embassy  
Panin Bank Center, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Jalan Jendral Sudirman 1  
JAKARTA 10270

#### NEW ZEALAND:

PNG High Commission  
279 Willis Street  
PO Box 197  
WELLINGTON

#### JAPAN

Papua New Guinea Embassy  
Mita Kokusai Building 3F 313  
4-28 Mita 1-Chome  
TOKYO

#### THE PHILIPPINES:

Papua New Guinea Embassy  
280 Magnolia Street  
Dasmariñas Village  
MAKATI METRO MANILA

#### SOLOMON ISLANDS:

Papua New Guinea High  
Commission  
PO Box 1109  
HONIARA

#### FIJI:

Papua New Guinea Embassy  
PO Box 2447  
SUVA

#### UNITED KINGDOM:

Papua New Guinea High  
Commission  
14 Waterloo Place  
LONDON SW1R 4AR

#### EUROPEAN COMMUNITY:

Papua New Guinea Embassy  
Avenue De Tervuren, 430  
1150 BRUSSELS

#### USA:

Papua New Guinea Embassy  
1615 New Hampshire Avenue  
Suite 300  
WASHINGTON DC 20009

#### ALL OTHER COUNTRIES:

The nearest Australian  
Diplomatic Mission.