

# Visa Pricing Table 1 September 2013

## How to use the Visa Pricing Table

The Visa Pricing Table enables you to determine the amount of the first instalment of the Visa Application Charge payable when making your visa application.

Some visas also include a second instalment of the Visa Application Charge which is due before the visa grant. Please refer to relevant notes under each visa pricing table.

For applicants whose visa requires them to be sponsored or nominated, their sponsor or nominator may also be required to pay certain fees.

The Visa Pricing Table is divided into categories that correspond to what you plan to do in Australia. For example, if you want to visit Australia, you will find the fees and charges for those visas listed under the 'Visit' category. If you want to study, then the fees and charges for those visas will be listed under the 'Study' category.

The categories defined in the Visa Pricing Table are **Visit**, **Study**, **Work**, **Live** and **Other**. If you cannot locate your visa in the above categories, you may wish to check additional information contained in the Repealed or Closed Visas section.

To determine the amount of the first instalment of the Visa Application Charge payable you will need to know the following information:

- the subclass of the visa you are applying for
- the visa stream you are applying for (if that visa has streams)
- if you currently hold, or have previously held, a visa, the visa subclass
- the number of additional applicants applying with you in a combined visa application, who will be 18 years or over at the time of lodgement of your application
- the number of additional applicants applying with you in a combined visa application, who will be under 18 years at the time of lodgement of your application
- whether you intend to lodge an Internet application (if available for your visa) and whether the non-Internet application charge applies to your visa
- where you will be at the time of making your application; in Australia or outside Australia
- whether the subsequent temporary application charge applies to your visa application and how many applicants applying at the same time are liable for this charge.

You also will need to check if any Visa Application Charge exemptions apply in your circumstances.

Once you have collected the above information you will be able to calculate fees and charges you are required to pay in order to lodge your visa application.

## **Calculating the Visa Application Charge**

The Visa Application Charge - Calculation Worksheet, can help you work out the fees and charges you need to pay when making your visa application.

The Form 1025i - Making and processing visa applications can help you understand the process of making a valid visa application.

### **Determining the fees payable**

The Visa Pricing Table contains rows and columns of information for a particular category of visa. It shows separate charges for applications lodged when the applicant is:

- outside Australia
- in Australia

As an example, if we look at the Fees and Charges for Temporary Work visas, these will be shown as follows:

#### **Applicant outside Australia**

#### **EXAMPLE ONLY**

	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18
Temporary Work (Short Stay Activity) (Subclass 400) - all streams	9a	\$165	N/A	\$85	\$40
Temporary Work (Long Stay Activity) (Subclass 401) - All streams	-	\$360	N/A	\$360	\$90

<sup>9</sup>a Your visa application charge for this visa might be nil if you are:

- an amateur participant in a sporting event; or
- a person appointed or employed to assist an amateur participant; or

#### **Applicant in Australia**

#### **EXAMPLE ONLY**

	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	Subsequent Temporary Application Charge
Temporary Work (Long Stay Activity) (Subclass 401) - All streams	9e	\$360	N/A	\$360	\$90	\$700
Temporary Work (International Relations) (Subclass 403) - Government Agreement stream	-	\$360	N/A	Nil	Nil	N/A

<sup>9</sup>f The subsequent temporary application charge may be payable if you are in Australia when making the visa application.

See: Subsequent Temporary Application Charge

In the above examples, the left most columns shows the visa name and subclass.

Next is the reference to any explanatory notes that may be applicable to that visa. The notes are located at the end of each table. If there are no notes for a visa a dash '-' appears in the 'See Note' column.

The remaining columns show the applicable fees and charges for that visa:

- the base application charge
- the non-Internet application charge
- the additional applicant charge for applicants 18 years and over
- the additional applicant charge for applicants under 18 years
- the subsequent temporary application charge for visas that are applied for while the applicant is in Australia.

Each of the above fee columns shows the applicable charge.

- Nil indicates that the charge is nil
- N/A indicates that the charge is not applicable or not available
- N/A\* indicates that additional applicants are not permitted for that particular visa
- If an amount appears that is the applicable charge.

**Please note:** Your personal circumstances may be such that a particular charge does not apply in your situation. It is therefore very important to check the 'See Note' column for any explanatory notes applicable to your visa, and also check the:

<u>Visa Application Charge - Exemptions</u> section to see if a particular exemption may apply in your circumstances.

For more examples of calculations see How to use the Visa Pricing Table

# **Subsequent Temporary Application Charge**

Where the subsequent temporary application charge applies, it is paid by each person in an application. The applicability of the charge depends on each person's individual visa history.

This charge is not paid by:

- bridging visa, criminal justice visa or enforcement visa applicants; or
- permanent visa applicants.

#### **Subsequent Temporary Application Charge Formula**

The subsequent temporary application charge is calculated for each applicant. The questions asked of each applicant are as follows:

Step	Action	Result / Action
(i)	Are you in Australia applying for a visa of a kind specified in Table 1? <u>Table 1 - Temporary visas being applied for</u>	If Yes, go to question 2. If No, The Charge is \$0 No more questions.
(ii)	Do you hold, or was the last substantive visa you held, a visa of a kind specified in Table 2? <u>Table 2 - Previous visas applied for in Australia</u>	If Yes, go to question 3. If No, The Charge is \$0 No more questions.
(iii)	Did you apply for a visa specified in 'Table 2' when you were in Australia?	If Yes, go to question 4. If No, The Charge is \$0 No more questions.
(iv)	<ul> <li>Do any of these situations apply?</li> <li>a) Was the 'Table 2' visa for a new-born child, born after you applied for the visa? or</li> <li>b) Was the 'Table 2' visa granted to the applicant by operation of law? or</li> <li>c) Was the 'Table 2' visa granted as a result of the Minister exercising his or her ministerial intervention powers?</li> <li>d) Was the 'Table 2' visa granted without the applicant making an application?</li> </ul>	If a) or b) or c) or d) is Yes, The Charge for the applicant in a) or b) or c) or d) is \$0 Otherwise If a) and b) and c) and d) is No The subsequent temporary application charge applies to the applicant.

#### **Definitions:**

**Operation of law -** Some visas are granted by operation of law. This may include:

- some Special Persons visas
- Enforcement visas
- Absorbed Persons visas
- Ex citizen visas
- visas granted to newborn babies.

#### Substantive visa means a visa other than:

- a bridging visa
- a criminal justice visa
- an enforcement visa.

# Table 1 - Temporary visas being applied for

Subclass	Title
401	Temporary Work (Long Stay Activity)
402	Training and Research - Occupational Trainee stream
402	Training and Research - Research stream
416	Special Program
420	Temporary Work (Entertainment)
457	Temporary Work (Skilled)
462	Work and Holiday
570	Independent ELICOS Sector
571	Schools Sector
572	Vocational Education and Training Sector
573	Higher Education Sector
575	Non-Award Sector
580	Student Guardian
600	Visitor
676	Tourist

# Table 2 - Previous visas applied for in Australia

Subclass	Title
401	Temporary Work (Long Stay Activity)
402	Training and Research - Occupational Trainee stream
402	Training and Research - Research stream
411	Exchange
415	Foreign Government Agency
416	Special Program
417	Working Holiday
419	Visiting Academic
420	Temporary Work (Entertainment)
421	Sport
422	Medical Practitioner
423	Media and Film Staff
426	Domestic Worker - Diplomatic and Consular
427	Domestic Worker - Executive
428	Religious Worker
442	Occupational Trainee
457	Temporary Work (Skilled)
462	Work and Holiday
570	Independent ELICOS Sector
571	Schools Sector
572	Vocational Education and Training Sector
573	Higher Education Sector
574	Post-Graduate Research Sector
575	Non-Award Sector
576	AusAID or Defence Sector
580	Student Guardian
600	Visitor
602	Medical Treatment
676	Tourist
685	Medical Treatment (Long Stay)

## **Visa Application Charges - Exemptions**

### **Base Application Charge**

If the base application charge for the application is nil, then all other components of the first instalment are also nil. You and any additional applicants are not required to pay the additional applicant charge, the non-Internet application charge or the subsequent temporary application charge.

You might not need to pay the Visa Application Charge under specific circumstances for specific visa subclasses. See the visa information pages for the visa you are applying for.

#### **Additional Applicant Charge**

The additional applicant charge becomes **nil** when the **base application charge** for your application is nil.

#### Adding of newborn babies to existing applications

If you have applied for a visa and you have a newborn child before the application is decided, your child can be added to your application by operation of regulation 2.08 or 2.08AA. In these circumstances, the additional applicant charge for the newborn child is **nil**. The **non-Internet application charge** and **subsequent temporary application charge** also do not apply to the newborn child.

#### **Non-Internet Application Charge**

The non-Internet application charge may apply to applications for the following visa subclasses:

- Five year Resident Return (Subclass 155) visa
- Three month Resident Return Visa (Subclass 157) visa
- Working Holiday (Subclass 417) visa
- Skilled Recognised Graduate (Temporary) (Subclass 476) visa
- Temporary Graduate (Subclass 485) visa

However, the charge will not apply to the following subclasses under the prescribed circumstances listed below:

#### Resident Return (RRV) (Subclass 155 and 157) visa

The non-Internet application charge will not be charged for non-Internet applications where at least one of the following applies:

- The applicant is a former Australian citizen.
- The applicant last entered Australia on or after 1 September 1994 and held a temporary visa at the time of that entry.
- The applicant has not travelled since 1 September 1994, and the movement data base does not contain a movement record on or after 1 September 1994 in relation to the applicant.
- Condition 8503, 8534 or 8535 has been waived by the Minister (or their delegate) in relation to the applicant.

#### Working Holiday (Subclass 417) visa

The non-Internet application charge will not be charged for non-Internet applications where at least one of the following applies:

- The applicant is a former Australian citizen.
- The applicant claims to have a dependent child.
- Condition 8503, 8534 or 8535 has been waived by the Minister (or their delegate) in relation to the applicant.

#### Skilled - Recognised Graduate (Temporary) (Subclass 476) visa

The non-Internet application charge will not be charged for non-Internet applications where at least one of the following applies:

- The applicant is a former Australian citizen.
- Condition 8503, 8534 or 8535 has been waived by the Minister (or their delegate) in relation to the applicant.
- The applicant claims to be a member of the family unit of a person who holds a Subclass 476 visa that was granted on the basis of satisfying the primary criteria for the grant of a Subclass 476 visa.

#### Temporary Graduate (Subclass 485) visa

The non-Internet application charge will not be charged for non-Internet applications where at least one of the following applies:

- The applicant is a former Australian citizen.
- Condition 8503, 8534 or 8535 has been waived by the Minister (or their delegate) in relation to the applicant.
- The applicant claims to be a member of the family unit of a person who holds a Subclass 485 visa that was granted on the basis of satisfying the primary criteria for the grant of a Subclass 485 visa.
- The applicant is the holder of a Subclass 487 visa having satisfied the primary criteria for the grant of the visa and has made a combined application with another applicant who is also a holder of a Subclass 487 visa having satisfied the primary criteria for the grant of the visa.

# **Subsequent Temporary Application Charge**

The subsequent temporary application charge will not be charged for applications where:

- the base application charge for your application is nil; or
- the Visa Pricing Table does not show a subsequent temporary application charge; or
- the Visa Pricing Table shows the subsequent temporary application charge as nil; or
- the Visa Pricing Table shows the subsequent temporary application charge as N/A; or
- the applicant is outside Australia while making their substantive temporary visa application; or
- the applicant is making their first substantive temporary visa application in Australia; or

the subsequent temporary application charge formula evaluates the charge to nil.

# Visa Pricing Table - 1 September 2013

### **Visit**

### **Tourists or Business Visitor**

### **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18			
Visitor ( <u>Subclass 600</u> ) - all streams	1a 1b	\$130	N/A	N/A*	N/A*			
Electronic Travel Authority (Subclass 601)	1c	Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*			
eVisitor (Subclass 651)	-	Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*			
Special Program (Subclass 416) visa	-	\$365	N/A	\$365	\$90			
Tourist (Subclass 676) visa	1d 1b	\$115	N/A	\$115	\$30			

- 1a Visitor (Subclass 600) visa has four streams. See: Visitor (Subclass 600) visa for specific information on how to apply.
- **1b** For an applicant who applies in the course of acting as a representative of a foreign government and provides the department with supporting evidence, the Visa Application Charge is: nil.
- 1c All Electronic Travel Authority (ETA) applications processed over the Internet are subject to a service charge. For more information See: Australian Electronic Travel Authority
- 1d The Tourist (Subclass 676) visa is only available as an Internet application for agents to apply on behalf of applicants from India, Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and the UAE.
- N/A\* Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

### **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	Subsequent Temporary Application Charge		
Visitor ( <u>Subclass 600</u> ) - Tourist stream only	1e 1f	\$335	N/A	N/A*	N/A*	\$700		
Special Program (Subclass 416) visa	1e	\$365	N/A	\$365	\$90	\$700		

<sup>1</sup>e The subsequent temporary application charge may be payable if you are in Australia when making the visa application. See: Subsequent Temporary Application Charge.

<sup>1</sup>f For an applicant who applies in the course of acting as a representative of a foreign government and provides the department with supporting evidence, the Visa Application Charge is: nil.

N/A\* Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

# **Working Holiday**

### Applicant outside Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Working Holiday (Subclass 417) visa	2a	\$420	\$80	N/A*	N/A*		
Work and Holiday (Subclass 462) visa	-	\$420	N/A	N/A*	N/A*		

You may be exempt from paying the non-Internet application charge under certain circumstances.
See: Visa Application Charges - Exemptions.

### **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)									
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	Subsequent Temporary Application Charge			
Working Holiday (Subclass 417) visa	2b	\$420	\$80	N/A*	N/A*	N/A			
Work and Holiday (Subclass 462) visa	2c	\$420	N/A	N/A*	N/A*	\$700			

You may be exempt from paying the non-Internet application charge under certain circumstances. See: <u>Visa Application Charges - Exemptions</u>.

## Retirement

### **Applicant in Australia or outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18			
Investor Retirement (Subclass 405) visa	3a	\$325	N/A	\$165	\$80			
Retirement (Subclass 410) visa	3b	\$365	N/A	\$185	\$90			

<sup>3</sup>a The Investor Retirement (Subclass 405) visa second instalment of \$12990 is payable per applicant, before the visa is granted.

 $N/A^*$  Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

<sup>2</sup>c The subsequent temporary application charge may be payable if you are in Australia when making the visa application. See: Subsequent Temporary Application Charge.

N/A\* Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

**<sup>3</sup>b** The Retirement (Subclass 410) visa is not available to new or first-time visa applicants other than partners of existing or former Retirement visa holders.

## **Medical Treatment**

### **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)						
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	
Medical Treatment (Subclass 602) visa	4a	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	

a For the Medical Treatment (Subclass 602) visa, only persons included in the passport of another person may combine their application with that person.

### **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)									
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	Subsequent Temporary Application Charge			
Medical Treatment (Subclass 602) visa	4b	\$280	N/A	\$140	\$70	N/A			
	4c								
Medical Treatment ( <u>Subclass 602</u> ) visa foreign government representative	4d	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	N/A			

**<sup>4</sup>b** For the Medical Treatment (Subclass 602) visa, only persons included in the passport of another person may combine their application with that person.

# **Transiting through Australia**

## Applicant outside Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)						
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	
Transit (Subclass 771) visa	5a	Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*	

<sup>5</sup>a If you intend to stopover in Australia longer than 72 hours you will not be eligible for a transit visa, and should obtain another type of visa.

**<sup>4</sup>c** The Medical Treatment (Subclass 602) visa applied for in Australia counts toward subsequent temporary application charge. **See**: Subsequent Temporary Application Charge.

<sup>4</sup>d An applicant who applies in the course of acting as a representative for a foreign government.

 $N/A^*$  Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

# Study

## **Student Visas**

### **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Independent ELICOS Sector (Subclass 570) visa	6a	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135		
Schools Sector (Subclass 571) visa	6a	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135		
Vocational Education & Training (Subclass 572) visa	6a	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135		
Higher Education Sector (Subclass 573) visa	6a	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135		
Post-Graduate Research Sector (Subclass 574) visa	6a	\$535	N/A	Nil	Nil		
Non-Award Sector (Subclass 575) visa	6a	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135		
AusAID or Defence Sector (Subclass 576) visa	6a 6b	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil		
Student Guardian (Subclass 580) visa	6a	\$535	N/A	N/A*	\$135		

<sup>6</sup>a Students applying for courses approved under a scholarship scheme or training program funded by the Australian Government or a state/territory government or under an agreement to which the Australian Government is a party might have a nil Visa Application Charge.

**<sup>6</sup>b** While in the majority of cases the Visa Application Charge for Subclass 576 is nil, in certain rare circumstances, a secondary applicant may be required to pay a Visa Application Charge.

 $N/A^*$  Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

### **Student Visas**

### **Applicant in Australia**

All charges sho	wn below	are in Australian	Dollars (AUD)			
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	Subsequent Temporary Application Charge
Independent ELICOS Sector ( <u>Subclass 570</u> ) visa	6d 6g	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135	\$700
Schools Sector ( <u>Subclass 571</u> ) visa	6d 6g	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135	\$700
Vocational Education & Training (Subclass 572) visa	6d 6g	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135	\$700
Higher Education Sector ( <u>Subclass 573</u> ) visa	6d 6g	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135	\$700
Post-Graduate Research Sector (Subclass 574) visa	6d	\$535	N/A	Nil	Nil	Nil
Non-Award Sector ( <u>Subclass 575</u> ) visa	6d 6g	\$535	N/A	\$405	\$135	\$700
AusAID or Defence Sector (Subclass 576) visa	6c 6d	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	Nil
Student Guardian ( <u>Subclass 580</u> ) visa	6d 6g	\$535	N/A	N/A*	\$135	\$700
Application for a new Student visa due to education provider default	6e	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	Nil
Application for a student visa with permission to work (Subclass 570,571,572,573,575,576)	6d 6f	\$75	N/A	\$55	\$20	N/A
Application for a student visa with permission to work (Subclass 574)	6d 6f	\$75	N/A	Nil	Nil	N/A

**<sup>6</sup>c** While in the majority of cases the Visa Application Charge for Subclass 576 is nil, in certain rare circumstances, a secondary applicant may be required to pay a Visa Application Charge.

See: Subsequent Temporary Application Charge

<sup>6</sup>d Students applying for courses approved under a scholarship scheme or training program funded by the Australian Government or a state/territory government or under an agreement to which the Australian Government is a party might have a nil Visa Application Charge.

**<sup>6</sup>e** 'Education provider default' is where a previous education provider's approval to deliver previous courses is removed. **See:** Education Provider's Approval to Deliver Courses is Removed

<sup>6</sup>f This option may be available to you, if you were granted a Student visa before 26 April 2008 and have not yet applied for Permission to Work and now want to apply for Permission to Work.

The subsequent temporary application charge may be payable if you are in Australia when making the visa application.

N/A\* Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

# **Training and Research**

## **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Occupational Trainee stream (Subclass 402)	-	\$360	N/A	\$180	\$90		
Research stream (Subclass 402)	-	\$360	N/A	\$180	\$90		
Professional Development stream (Subclass 402)	-	\$360	N/A	N/A*	N/A*		
N/A* Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.							

### **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)						
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	Subsequent Temporary Application Charge
Occupational Trainee stream (Subclass 402)	7a	\$360	N/A	\$180	\$90	\$700
Research stream (Subclass 402)	7a	\$360	N/A	\$180	\$90	\$700

<sup>7</sup>a The subsequent temporary application charge may be payable if you are in Australia when making the visa application. See: Subsequent Temporary Application Charge

# **Training and Research Sponsorship and Nomination Fees**

## **Sponsorship**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)				
Lodgement of applications	Fee			
Training and Research Sponsorship	\$420			
Professional Development Sponsorship	\$1660			
Professional Development Sponsorship made by Commonwealth agency	Nil			

### Nomination

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)	
Lodgement of applications	
Nomination for Training and Research visa	Fee
(Subclass 402) (Occupational Trainee position)	
Where 1–20 nominations are lodged (per nominated position)	\$170
Where 21 or more nominations are lodged together	\$3400

# Graduate

## **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa :	Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	
Tem	porary Graduate ( <u>Subclass 485</u> ) visa	8a 8b	\$1440	N/A	\$720	\$360	
8a	The non-Internet application charge does not apply to members of family unit making an application to join the visa holder in Australia.						
8b	Only the members of family unit, wishing to join S Australia.	ubclass 485 visa	holder in Australi	a can make an app	olication from ou	tside	

# **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)						
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	Subsequent Temporary Application Charge
Temporary Graduate (Subclass 485) visa	-	\$1440	\$80	\$720	\$360	N/A

#### Work

# **Temporary Visas**

### **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below	are in Aus	tralian Dollars (	AUD)		
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18
Temporary Work (Short Stay Activity) (Subclass 400) - all streams	9a	\$165	N/A	\$85	\$40
Temporary Work (Long Stay Activity) ( <u>Subclass 401</u> ) - All streams	-	\$360	N/A	\$360	\$90
Temporary Work (Long Stay Activity) (Subclass 401) - Sport stream, Group Discount	9b	\$3600	N/A	\$360	\$90
Temporary Work (International Relations) (Subclass 403) - Government Agreement stream	9c	\$360	N/A	Nil	Nil
Temporary Work (International Relations) (Subclass 403) - Foreign Government Agency stream	9c	\$360	N/A	Nil	Nil
Temporary Work (International Relations) (Subclass 403) - Domestic Worker stream	9c	\$360	N/A	N/A*	N/A*
Temporary Work (International Relations) (Subclass 403) - Privileges and Immunities stream	-	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil
Special Program ( <u>Subclass 416</u> ) <u>Seasonal Worker Program</u> visa	-	\$365	N/A	N/A*	N/A*
Temporary Work (Entertainment) (Subclass 420) visa	9d	\$360	N/A	\$360	\$90
Temporary Work (Entertainment) ( <u>Subclass 420</u> ) Group Discount visa	9e	\$3600	N/A	\$360	\$90
Temporary Work (Skilled) (Subclass 457) visa	-	\$1035	N/A	\$1035	\$260

- 9a Your visa application charge for this visa might be nil if you are:
  - an amateur participant in a sporting event; or
  - a person appointed or employed to assist an amateur participant; or
  - a person appointed or employed to assist a team that is entered a sporting event as an amateur team, or
  - a person who applies in the course of acting as a representative for a foreign government; or
  - a person who has been invited to Australia by the Australian Government, or by an Australian state or territory government, to assist in providing emergency services in connection with a disaster or emergency.
- 9b The group discount applies where 11 or more applications from applicants of the one sporting body, who are outside Australia at the time of application, are lodged together. The base application charge is divided by the number of applicants in the sporting body. Members of family unit included in the application are not eligible for the group discount and pay the additional applicant charge.
- 9c Your visa application charge for this visa might be nil if you:
  - are a holder of a valid diplomatic, official or service passport; and
  - · have a third person note of support for the application from your government, or government agency, of your home country.
- Your visa application charge for this visa might be nil if you are outside Australia when you apply and you can show one of the following:
  - you are identified in a nomination by an entertainment sponsor to perform as an entertainer or support an entertainer in one or more engagements that are for non-profit purposes
  - you are identified in a nomination by an entertainment sponsor who is funded wholly or in part by the Australian Government and has the approval of the Secretary of the Department of Immigration and Border Protection
  - you are a member of the family unit included in the application and identified in one of the above nominations.
- 9e The group discount applies where 11 or more applications from applicants who are outside Australia at the time of applications are lodged together. The base application charge is divided by the number of applicants in the entertainment body.
  Members of family unit included in the application are not eligible for the group discount and pay the additional applicant charge.
- $N\!/\!A^*$  Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

# **Temporary Visas**

# **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	Subsequent Temporary Application Charge	
Temporary Work (Long Stay Activity) (Subclass 401) - All streams	9f	\$360	N/A	\$360	\$90	\$700	
Temporary Work (International Relations) (Subclass 403) - Government Agreement stream	9g	\$360	N/A	Nil	Nil	N/A	
Temporary Work (International Relations) (Subclass 403) - Foreign Government Agency stream	9g	\$360	N/A	Nil	Nil	N/A	
Temporary Work (International Relations) (Subclass 403) - Domestic Worker stream	9g	\$360	N/A	N/A*	N/A*	N/A	
Temporary Work (International Relations) (Subclass 403) - Privileges and Immunities stream	-	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	N/A	
Temporary Work (Entertainment) ( <u>Subclass 420</u> ) visa	9f	\$360	N/A	\$360	\$90	\$700	
Temporary Work (Skilled) (Subclass 457) visa	9f	\$1035	N/A	\$1035	\$260	\$700	

<sup>9</sup>f The subsequent temporary application charge may be payable if you are in Australia when making the visa application.
See: Subsequent Temporary Application Charge

- are a holder of a valid diplomatic, official or service passport; and
- have a third person note of support for the application from your government, or government agency, of your home country.

 $N/A^*$  Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

**<sup>9</sup>g** Your visa application charge for this visa might be nil if you:

# **Temporary Work Sponsorship and Nomination Fees**

# **Sponsorship**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)				
Lodgement of applications	Fee			
Long Stay Activity Sponsorship (Subclass 401)	\$420			
Entertainment Sponsorship (Subclass 420)	\$420			
Special Program Sponsorship (Subclass 416)	\$420			
Temporary Work (Skilled) (Subclass 457)	\$420			

## Nomination

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)	
Lodgement of applications	
Nomination for Temporary Work (Long Stay Activity) visa (Subclass 401)	Fee
Where 1–20 nominations are lodged (per nominated position)	\$170
Where 21 or more nominations are lodged together	\$3 400
Nomination for Temporary Work (Entertainment) Visa (Subclass 420)	Fee
Where 1–20 nominations are lodged (per nominated position)	\$170
Where 21 or more nominations are lodged together	\$3 400
Where the nominated position relates to an entertainer, or a person supporting an entertainer, who is performing in one or more engagements that are for non-profit purposes	Nil
Where the organisation identified in the nomination is funded wholly or in part by the Australian Government and has the approval of the Secretary of the Department of Immigration and Border Protection	Nil
Nomination for Temporary Work (Skilled) Visa (Subclass 457)	\$330

# **Sea Crew**

# Applicant outside Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Maritime Crew (Subclass 988) visa	10a	Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*		
Superyacht Crew (Subclass 488) visa	-	Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*		

The Maritime Crew visa is usually available to crew of non-military ships and is generally not valid for air travel to Australia. Applicants must be outside Australia. Applications must be either lodged over the Internet or posted or couriered to the Brisbane Global Processing Centre.

#### **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	Subsequent Temporary Application Charge	
Superyacht Crew (Subclass 488) visa	-	Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*	N/A	

N/A\* Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

# **Employer Sponsored Migration**

### Applicant in Australia or outside Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Employer Nomination Scheme (Subclass 186)	11a 11b	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880		
Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme (Subclass 187)	11a 11b	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880		

<sup>11</sup>a For applicants who have turned 18 at the time of application and who are assessed as not having functional English the second instalment is:

- main applicant \$9 800;
- secondary applicants \$4 890.
- An applicant nominated as a Minister of Religion by a religious institution or an applicant applying as a member of the family unit of an applicant nominated as a Minister of Religion by a religious institution is eligible to pay a nil second instalment of the visa application charge.

# **Employer Nomination Fees**

All charges shown below	are in Australian Dolla	ars (AUD)	
Employer Nomination Scheme (ENS) (Subclass 186) and Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme (RSMS) (Subclass 187)	Position in a designated regional area (See Note 11c)	Position not in a designated regional area	Related Costs
Direct Entry stream	ENS \$540	\$540	Where applicable, Regional Certifying Body assessment costs (see Note 11d)
Direct Entry stream	RSMS Nil (see Note 11d)	\$540	Where applicable, Regional Certifying Body assessment costs (see Note 11d)
Temporary Residence Transition Stream	Nil	\$540	-
Agreement stream	Nil	Nil	-

<sup>11</sup>c All of Australia is a designated regional area with the exception of the Gold Coast, Brisbane, Newcastle, Sydney, Wollongong and Melbourne.

<sup>11</sup>d Employers who wish to sponsor workers through the RSMS Direct Entry stream may have to pay a charge to seek advice from a Regional Certifying Body (RCB) for a nominated position in their business. You should contact the relevant RCB for more information.

## **General Skilled Migration**

#### Applicant in Australia or outside Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18			
Skilled - Independent (Subclass 189) visa	12a	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880			
Skilled - Nominated (Subclass 190) visa	12a	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880			
Skilled - Recognised Graduate (Subclass 476) visa	12b	\$360	\$80	\$180	\$90			
Skilled - Regional Sponsored (Provisional) (Subclass 489) - First Provisional Visa Stream	12d	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880			
Skilled - Regional Sponsored (Provisional) (Subclass 489) - Second Provisional Visa Stream	12c 12d	\$320	N/A	\$160	\$80			
Skilled -Regional ( <u>Subclass 887</u> ) visa	12e 12f	\$370	N/A	\$185	\$95			

- 12a For applicants who have turned 18 at the time of application and who are assessed as not having functional English the second instalment is \$4 885. For any other applicant, the second instalment is nil.
- 12b The non-Internet application charge does not apply to members of family unit making an application to join the visa holder in Australia.
- 12c This visa is for applicants who are the holder of:
  - Subclass 475 (Skilled Regional Sponsored) visa, or
  - Subclass 487 (Skilled Regional Sponsored) visa or
  - Skilled Independent Regional (Provisional) (Class UX) visa, or
  - Skilled Designated Area-sponsored (Provisional) (Class UZ) visa
- 12d For applicants who have turned 18 at the time of application and who are assessed as not having functional English and who have not paid a second instalment of the visa application charge in relation to an application for a visa mentioned in Note 12b, the second instalment is: \$4 890. For any other applicant, the second instalment is nil.
- 12e For applicants who have turned 18 at the time of application and who are assessed as not having functional English and who have not paid a second instalment of the visa application charge in relation to an application for a visa mentioned in Note 12e, the second instalment is: \$4 890. For any other applicant, the second instalment is nil.
- 12f This visa is for applicants who are the holder of:
  - a Skilled -Independent Regional (Provisional) (Class UX) visa; or
  - a Skilled -Designated Area-sponsored (Provisional) (Class UZ) visa; or
  - a Subclass 475 (Skilled -Regional Sponsored) visa; or
  - a Subclass 487 (Skilled -Regional Sponsored) visa; or
  - a Skilled -Regional Sponsored (Provisional) (Class SP) visa; or
  - a Bridging A (Class WA) or Bridging B (Class WB) visa granted on the basis of a valid application for:
    - $\bullet \qquad \text{a Skilled -Independent Regional (Provisional) (Class \, UX) \, visa; or} \\$
    - a Skilled (Provisional) (Class VC) visa (other than a Subclass 485 (Temporary Graduate) visa); or
    - a Skilled -Regional Sponsored (Provisional) (Class SP) visa.

## **Business Skills Migration**

### Applicant in Australia or outside Australia

All charges shown belo	All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18				
Business Talent (Subclass 132) visa	13a	\$6830	N/A	\$3415	\$1710				
Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional) (Subclass 188) visa	13b	\$4675	N/A	\$2340	\$1170				
Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)- (Subclass 188) - Business Innovation Extension and Significant Investor Extension Streams	13b 13c	\$575	N/A	\$290	\$145				
Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent) (Subclass 888) visa	13d	\$2255	N/A	\$1130	\$565				
Business Owner (Subclass 890) visa	13e	\$2180	N/A	\$1090	\$545				
Investor (Subclass 891) visa	13e	\$2180	N/A	\$1090	\$545				
State/Territory Sponsored Business Owner (Subclass 892) visa	13e	\$2180	N/A	\$1090	\$545				
State/Territory Sponsored Investor (Subclass 893) visa	13e	\$2180	N/A	\$1090	\$545				

13a For applicants who have turned 18 at the time of application and who are assessed as not having functional English the second instalment

- main applicants \$9 795;
- secondary applicants \$4 890

13b For applicants who have turned 18 at the time of application and who are assessed as not having functional English the second instalment

- main applicants \$9 795;
- secondary applicants \$4 890

This is provided that the applicant has not paid a second instalment of the visa application charge in relation to an application for a Subclass 188 (Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)) visa.

13c This visa is for existing holders of Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional) - (Subclass 188) visas.

13d The second instalment of \$4 890 is for an applicant who:

- has turned 18 at the time of application; and
- is assessed as not having functional English; and
- satisfies the secondary criteria for the grant of a Subclass 888 (Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent)) visa; and
- has not paid a second instalment of the visa application charge in relation to an application for a Subclass 188 (Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)) visa.

13e The second instalment of \$4 890 is for an applicant who:

- has turned 18 at the time of application; and
- is assessed as not having functional English; and
- satisfies the secondary criteria for the grant of a visa of a subclass included in Business Skills (Residence) (Class DF); and
- is not the holder of a visa of a subclass included in Business Skills (Provisional) (Class UR); and
- is not the holder of a Skilled -Independent Regional (Provisional) (Class UX) visa.
- for any other applicant the second instalment is nil.

# **Special Migration**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Distinguished Talent (Subclass 124) visa	14a	\$2410	N/A	\$1205	\$605		
Distinguished Talent (Subclass 858) visa	14b	\$3575	N/A	\$1790	\$895		

The second instalment in the case of each applicant who was 18 years or more at time of application and is assessed as not having functional English is \$4 890. For any other applicant the second instalment is nil. 14a

<sup>14</sup>b The second instalment in the case of each applicant who was 18 years or more at time of application and is assessed as not having functional English: \$4 890. For any other applicant the second instalment is nil.

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# **Special Migration**

### **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Special eligibility Former resident (Subclass 151) visa	15a	\$2370	N/A	\$1185	\$595		
15a The second instalment in the case of each applicant who functional English is \$4 890. For any other applicant the			of application and	d is assessed as r	not having		

### **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Special eligibility Former resident ( <u>Subclass 151</u> ) visa	15b	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880		

The second instalment in the case of each applicant who was 18 years or more at time of application and is assessed as not having functional English is \$4 890. For any other applicant the second instalment is nil.

## Retirement

## Applicant in Australia or outside Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Investor Retirement (Subclass 405) visa	15c	\$325	N/A	\$165	\$80		
Retirement (Subclass 410) visa	15d	\$365	N/A	\$185	\$90		

<sup>15</sup>c The Investor Retirement (Subclass 405) visa second instalment of \$12 990 is payable per applicant, before the visa is granted.

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<sup>15</sup>d The Retirement (Subclass 410) visa is not available to new or first-time visa applicants other than partners of existing or former Retirement visa holders.

# **Returning Residents**

### **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass		See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Resident Return (RRV) ( <u>Subclass 155 and 157</u> ) visa		16a 16b	\$345	\$80	N/A*	N/A*		
Australian Declaratory visa (zz 998)	Adult Child	16c	\$240 \$185	N/A	N/A*	N/A*		

16a Applications cannot be combined for the Resident Return visa (RRV)

16b You may be exempt from paying the non-Internet application charge under certain circumstances.

See: Visa Application Charges - Exemptions

16c GST is included in this charge

N/A\* Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

#### **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)									
Visa Subclass		See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18			
Resident Return (RRV) ( <u>Subclass 155 and 157</u> )		16d 16e	\$345	\$80	N/A*	N/A*			
Australian Declaratory visa (zz 998)	Adult Child	16f	\$185 \$120	N/A	N/A*	N/A*			

16d Each applicant must apply in their own right for the Resident Return visa (RRV)

16e You may be exempt from paying the non-Internet application charge under certain circumstances.

See: Visa Application Charges - Exemptions

16f GST is included in this charge.

N/A\* Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

## **New Zealand Residents**

## Applicant in Australia or outside Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18				
-	\$325	N/A	\$165	\$80				
-	Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*				
	See	See Application Charge - \$325	See Application Charge Charge  - \$325 N/A	See Application Charge Place   Non-Internet Applicant Charge   Non-Internet Application Charge   Non-Internet Application Charge   Non-Internet Application Charge   Non-Internet Applicant Charge   Non-Internet Applicant   Non-Internet   Non-Internet Applicant   Non-Internet   Non-Inter				

# **Partner Migration**

## **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18			
Partner (Subclass 309/100) visa	17a	\$3085	N/A	\$1545	\$770			
Prospective Marriage ( <u>Subclass 300</u> ) visa	-	\$3085	N/A	\$1545	\$770			

<sup>17</sup>a People who apply for a Partner visa and who hold a Dependent Child (Subclass 445) visa are eligible for a nil Visa Application Charge.

# **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18			
Partner (Subclass 820/801) visa	17b	\$4575	N/A	\$2290	\$1145			
Partner ( <u>Subclass 820/801</u> ) visa application by Prospective Marriage ( <u>Subclass 300</u> ) visa holder	-	\$1145	N/A	\$575	\$285			
Partner (Subclass 820/801) visa application by:     former Prospective Marriage (Subclass 300) visa holder or the equivalent which existed under the 1989 or 1993 Migration Regulations and     person who entered Australia before 19 December 1989, was engaged to an Australian citizen or permanent resident at that time and subsequently married that person.	17b	\$1450	N/A	\$725	\$365			
Partner ( <u>Subclass 820/801</u> ) visa application by a spouse with transitional Extended Eligibility Temporary Visa (EETV)		\$410	N/A	\$205	\$105			

<sup>17</sup>b People who apply for a Partner visa and who hold a Dependent Child (Subclass 445) visa are eligible for a nil Visa Application Charge.

## **Child Migration**

#### **Please Note:**

From 1 July 2013, siblings who apply for these visas will normally need to lodge separate application forms and each pay a Base Application Charge. In other words, each sibling will lodge an application and pay a Base Application Charge in their own right. If any of the siblings has eligible members of their own family unit (e.g. dependent children or dependent siblings) they include in their application, then these family members will be required to pay the applicable Additional Applicant Charge.

#### **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)									
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18				
Child (Subclass 101) visa	18a	\$2370	N/A	\$1185	\$595				
Adoption (Subclass 102) visa	18a	\$2370	N/A	\$1185	\$595				
Orphan relative (Subclass 117) visa	18a	\$1450	N/A	\$725	\$365				
Dependent Child (Subclass 445) visa	18a 18b	\$2370	N/A	\$1185	\$595				

<sup>18</sup>a 'Additional Applicant' refers to an eligible member of the applicant's family unit. 'Additional Applicant' does not refer to a sibling of the applicant, unless that sibling is a dependent of the applicant.

### Applicant in Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18			
Child (Subclass 802) visa	18c	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880			
Child ( <u>Subclass 802</u> ) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 18b	18c 18d	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil			
Orphan relative (Subclass 837) visa	18c	\$1450	N/A	\$725	\$365			
Orphan relative ( <u>Subclass 837</u> ) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 18b	18c 18d	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil			
Dependent Child (Subclass 445) visa	18c 18e	\$2370	N/A	\$1185	\$595			

<sup>18</sup>c 'Additional Applicant' refers to an eligible member of the applicant's family unit. 'Additional Applicant' does not refer to a sibling of the applicant, unless that sibling is a dependent of the applicant.

18d For an applicant whose parent has been granted a permanent visa, and who was included in:

- the parent's application for a Group 1.1 (migrant) visa under the Migration (1993) Regulations; or
- the parent's application for a business (joint venture) visa (code number 122) or a business (general) visa (code number 123) under the Migration (1989) Regulations; or

for an applicant whose application is:

- supported by a letter of support from a State or Territory government welfare authority; or
- combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person;

18e People who apply for a Partner visa and who hold an Extended Eligibility(Temporary) Dependent Child (Subclass 445) visa are eligible for a nil Visa Application Charge for the Partner visa.

<sup>18</sup>b People who apply for a Partner visa and who hold a Dependent Child (Subclass 445) visa are eligible for a nil Visa Application Charge for the Partner visa.

# **Parent Migration**

For other costs (such as Assurance of Support bond)

See: Fees and Other Charges

Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18
Parent (Migrant) (Subclass 103) visa	19a	\$2370	N/A	\$1185	\$595
Aged Parent (Residence) (Subclass 804) visa	19a	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880
Contributory Parent (Migrant) (Subclass 143) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19b	19b 19j	\$280	N/A	\$140	\$70
Contributory Parent (Migrant) ( <u>Subclass 143</u> ) visa  Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19c	19c 19j	\$2060	N/A	\$1030	\$515
Contributory Parent (Migrant) ( <u>Subclass 143</u> ) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19d	19d 19j	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil
Contributory Parent (Migrant) ( <u>Subclass 143</u> ) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19d2	19d2 19j	\$2060	N/A	\$1030	\$515
Contributory Parent (Temporary) (Subclass 173) visa	19k	\$2370	N/A	\$1185	\$595
Contributory Parent (Temporary) ( <u>Subclass 173</u> ) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19e	19e 19k	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil
Contributory Aged Parent (Residence) (Subclass 864) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19f	19f 19l	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil
Contributory Aged Parent (Residence) (Subclass 864) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19g	19g 19l	\$280	N/A	\$140	\$70
Contributory Aged Parent (Residence) (Subclass 864) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19h	19h 19l	\$3060	N/A	\$1530	\$765
Contributory Aged Parent (Residence) (Subclass 864) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19h2	19h2 19l	\$3060	N/A	\$1530	\$765
Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary) (Subclass 884) visa	19m	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880
Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary) (Subclass 884) visa Applicant meets conditions defined in Note 19i	19i 19m	Nil	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)

#### 19b This visa is for:

- (i) an applicant who is the holder of a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa at the time of application; or
- (ii) an applicant who has been the holder of a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa; and is the holder of a substituted Subclass 600 visa at the time of application; or
- (iii) an applicant who has held a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa at any time in the 28 days immediately before making the application;

or an applicant whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person.

#### 19c This visa is for:

- (i) an applicant who:
  - a) has been the holder of a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa; and
  - b) provides the Minister with evidence that compassionate and compelling circumstances exist for the person to be considered to be the holder of a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa for the purpose of the application;

or an applicant whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person;

#### 19d This visa is for:

- (i) an applicant who:
  - a) made a valid application for a Parent (Migrant) (Class AX) visa before 27 June 2003; and
  - b) withdrew that application at the same time as making the application for the Contributory Parent (Migrant) (Class CA) visa:
- (ii) or an applicant whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person;

#### 19d2 This visa is for any other applicant who does not meet the conditions in notes 19b, 19c and 19d above.

#### **19e** This visa is for:

- (i) an applicant who:
  - a) made a valid application for a Parent (Migrant) (Class AX) visa before 27 June 2003; and
  - b) withdrew that application at the same time as making the application for the Contributory Parent (Temporary) (Class UT) visa:

or whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person;

(ii) an applicant who is a contributory parent newborn child; or whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person;

#### 19f This visa is for:

- (i) an applicant who:
  - a) made a valid application for an Aged Parent (Residence) (Class BP) visa before 1 July 2003; and
  - withdrew that application at the same time as making the application for the Contributory Aged Parent (Residence) (Class DG) visa;

or an applicant whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person;

#### 19g This visa is for:

- (i) an applicant who:
  - a) is the holder of a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa at the time of application; or
  - b) whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person:
- (ii) an applicant who:
  - a) held a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa; and
  - b) is the holder of a substituted Subclass 600 visa at the time of application;

or whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person:

- (iii) an applicant who:
  - a) who has held a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa at any time in the 28 days immediately before making the application; or
  - b) whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person:

#### 19h This visa is for:

- (i) an applicant who:
  - a) held a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa, and
  - b) provides the Minister with evidence that compassionate and compelling circumstances exist for the person to be considered to be the holder of a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa for the purpose of the application;

or whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person:

19h2 This visa is for any other applicant who does not meet conditions in notes 19f, 19g and 19h above.

#### All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)

#### 19i This visa is for:

- (i) an applicant who:
  - a) made a valid application for an Aged Parent (Residence) (Class BP) visa before 1 July 2003; and
  - b) withdrew that application at the same time as making the application for the Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary) (Class UU) visa;

or an applicant whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person;

(ii) or an applicant who is a contributory parent newborn child or whose application is combined, or sought to be combined, with an application made by that person.

19j	The	second instalment (payable before grant of visa):	
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	(i) (ii)	Applicant who was the holder of a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa at the time of application:	\$16 885
	(11)	Applicant who:  (a) held a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa; and	
		(b) was the holder of a substituted Subclass 600 visa at the time of application; and	
		(c) is not described in item 3 (below):	\$16 885
	(iii)	Applicant who:	410 000
	` '	(a) held a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa; and	
		(b) was, at the time of application, the holder of a substituted Subclass 600 visa	
		or the child or step child of an applicant mentioned in item 2 (above); and	
		(c) is the child or step child of an applicant for a Contributory Parent (Migrant) (Class CA) visa,	
		and was less than 18 at the time of application for a Contributory Parent (Temporary) (Class UT) visa	Nil
	(iv)	Applicant who:	
		(a) was the holder of a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa at the time of application, and:	
		(b) is the child or step child of an applicant for a Contributory Parent (Migrant) (Class CA) visa; and	Nil
	(w)	(c) was less than 18 at the time of application for a Contributory Parent (Temporary) (Class UT) visa Applicant who has held a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa	NII
	(v)	at any time in the 28 days immediately before making the application	\$16 885
	(vi)	Applicant:	φ10 003
	(11)	(a) who has held a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa; and	
		(b) in relation to whom the Minister is satisfied that compassionate and compelling	
		circumstances exist for the person to be considered to be the holder of	
		a Subclass 173 (Contributory Parent (Temporary)) visa at the time of application	\$15 285
	(vii)	An applicant who:	
		(a) is a dependent child of an applicant for a Contributory Parent (Migrant) (Class CA) visa; and	
		(b) was less than 18 at the time of application	\$1 825
	(viii)	Any other applicant	\$42 220
19k	The	second instalment (payable before grant of visa):	
1/B			
	(i)	Applicant who:	

(a) was less than 18 at the time of application; and(b) is a dependent child of an applicant for a Contributory Parent (Temporary) (Class UT) visa:

Applicant who is a contributory parent newborn child:

(iii) Any other applicant:

\$2 095

\$29 130

Nil

		All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)	
19l	The	second instalment (payable before grant of visa):	
	(i)	Applicant who was the holder of a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa at the time of application:	\$16 885
	(ii)	11	
		(a) held a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa; and	
		<ul><li>(b) was the holder of a substituted Subclass 600 visa at the time of application; and</li><li>(c) is not described in item 3 (below):</li></ul>	\$16 885
	(iii)	Applicant who:	\$10 883
	(111)	(a) held a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa; and	
		(b) was, at the time of application, the holder of a substituted Subclass 600 visa	
		or the child or step child of an applicant mentioned in item 2 (above); and	
		(c) is the child or step child of an applicant for a Contributory Parent (Migrant) (Class CA) visa,	
		and was less than 18 at the time of application for a Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary) (Class UU	) visa Nil
	(iv)	Applicant who:	
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		<ul><li>(b) is the child or step child of an applicant for a Contributory Aged Parent (Residence) (Class DG) visa; a</li><li>(c) was less than 18 at the time of application for a Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary) (Class UU) vis</li></ul>	
	(v)	Applicant who has held a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa	a. Mii
	(1)	at any time in the 28 days immediately before making the application	\$16 885
	(vi)	Applicant:	
		(a) who has held a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa; and	
		(b) in relation to whom the Minister is satisfied that compassionate and compelling	
		circumstances exist for the person to be considered to be the holder of	<b>44.4.2</b> 00
		a Subclass 884 (Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary)) visa at the time of application	\$14 390
	(VII)	An applicant who:  (a) is a dependent child of an applicant for a Contributory Aged Parent (Residence) (Class DG) visa; and	
		(b) was less than 18 at the time of application	\$1 825
	(viii	Any other applicant	\$42 220
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19m	The	second instalment (payable before grant of visa):	
	(i)	Applicant who:	
		(a) was less than 18 at the time of application; and	** ***
	(::)	(b) is a dependent child of an applicant for a Contributory Aged Parent (Temporary) (Class UU) visa:	\$2 095
	(ii)	Applicant who is a contributory parent newborn child: Any other applicant:	Nil \$29 130
	(111)	Any onici applicant.	φ49 130

# **Other Family Migration**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18			
Aged Dependent Relative (Subclass 114) visa	20a	\$2370	N/A	\$1185	\$595			
Remaining Relative (Subclass 115) visa	20a	\$2370	N/A	\$1185	\$595			
Carer ( <u>Subclass 116</u> ) visa	20a 20b	\$1450	N/A	\$725	\$365			
Aged Dependent Relative (Subclass 838) visa	20a	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880			
Remaining Relative (Subclass 835) visa	20a	\$3520	N/A	\$1760	\$880			
Carer (Subclass 836) visa	20a 20b	\$1450	N/A	\$725	\$365			

**20a** The second instalment - for each person included on the application is \$2 065.

In the case of an applicant who is a carer; and in relation to whom the Minister has determined that the second instalment of the visa application charge should not be paid because the Minister is satisfied that payment of the instalment has caused, or is likely to cause, severe financial hardship to the applicant or to the person of whom the applicant is a carer, the second instalment is nil.

### Other

# **Border / Emergency / Diplomatic Visas**

Visa Subclass	vn below are in Au See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18
Border (Subclass 773) visa	-	Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*
Emergency (Subclasses 302, 303) visa		Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil
Diplomatic (Subclass 995) visa		Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*

# **Confirmatory Visa**

## **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)								
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18			
Confirmatory (Residence) (Subclass 808) visa	22b	Nil	N/A	N/A*	N/A*			
Confirmatory (Residence) (Subclass 808) visa Previous holder of Subclass 773 visa	22a 22b	\$275	N/A	\$140	\$70			

<sup>22</sup>a The applicant was **granted** Border (Subclass 773) on last arriving in Australia.

# **Bridging Visas**

## **Applicant in Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)						
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	
Bridging visas A, C, D, E, F	-	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	
Bridging visa B	-	\$140	N/A	Nil	Nil	

<sup>22</sup>b If you hold Emergency (Permanent Visa Applicant) (Subclass 302) visa, you will be advised if a second instalment of the Visa Application Charge is payable.

N/A\* Means that additional applicants are not eligible for this visa.

# **Humanitarian Program applications**

## **Applicant outside Australia**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)						
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	
Refugee and Humanitarian (class XB) visa applications made under the offshore component of the Humanitarian Program	-	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	

Refugee and Humanitarian visa applications made under the Community Proposal Pilot in the offshore component of the Humanitarian Program

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Refugee and Humanitarian (class XB) visa	24a	\$2680	N/A	Nil	Nil		

24a The second instalment payable before the visa is granted:

- for main applicant \$16 444
- any secondary applicants included in your application \$2680.

# **Protection Visa applications**

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)						
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18	
Protection visas lodged in Australia	-	\$35	N/A	Nil	Nil	
Protection visas lodged in Australia by applicants who are in immigration detention but not immigration cleared	-	Nil	N/A	Nil	Nil	

# Repealed or Closed Visas

# Adding Applicants to undecided Visa applications

The following visas are closed to new primary applicants. Eligible secondary applicants can be added to lodged, but yet undecided, visa applications. The table below shows the relevant charges that will be payable, when an additional applicant is being added to a lodged, but as yet undecided, visa application.

### Applicant in or outside Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme (Subclass 119) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1050	\$525		
Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme (Subclass 857) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1555	\$775		
Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme - Extension (Subclass 857) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$140	\$70		
Employer Nomination Scheme (Subclass 121) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1050	\$525		
Employer Nomination Scheme (Subclass 856) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1555	\$775		
Employer Nomination Scheme - Extension (Subclass 856) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$140	\$70		
Business Owner ( <u>Subclass 160</u> ) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
Investor (Subclass 162) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
State/Territory Sponsored Business Owner (Subclass 163) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
State/Territory Sponsored Senior Executive (Subclass 164) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
Business Skills (Provisional) (Class UR) (Subclass 165) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
Established Business In Australia (Subclass 845) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$3015	\$1510		
Skilled independent - permanent (Subclass 175) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1530	\$765		
Skilled sponsored - permanent (Subclass 176) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1530	\$765		
Skilled Regional Sponsored (Subclass 475) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1530	\$765		
Skilled Regional Sponsored (Subclass 487) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1530	\$765		
Skilled Regional Sponsored - Extension (Subclass 487) visa	Za	N/A	N/A	\$140	\$70		
Skilled - Independent Regional (Subclass 495) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1290	\$645		
Skilled - Independent Regional - Extension (Subclass 495) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$120	\$60		
Skilled - Independent Regional (Subclass 496) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1480	\$740		

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Skilled - Independent Regional - Extension (Subclass 496) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$135	\$70		
Labour Agreement (Subclass 855) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1555	\$775		
Skilled - Australian-sponsored Overseas Student (Subclass 881) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1290	\$645		
Skilled - Designated Area-sponsored Overseas Student ( <u>Subclass 882</u> ) visa	-	N/A	N/A	\$1290	\$645		

Za An applicant who seeks to satisfy the criteria for the grant of a Subclass 487 (Skilled -Regional Sponsored) visa, and who holds:

- (i) a Skilled -Independent Regional (Provisional) (Class UX) visa; or
- (ii) a Skilled -Designated Area-sponsored (Provisional) (Class UZ) visa; or
- (iii) a Subclass 475 (Skilled -Regional Sponsored) visa; or
- a Subclass 487 (Skilled -Regional Sponsored) visa

## Visa applications for family members

Eligible applicants wishing to join a member of the family unit who is a visa holder in Australia are able to make an application in their own right. They are required to pay the base application charge (if applicable) and additional applicant charge (if applicable) for any eligible additional applicants.

The table below shows the relevant charges that will be payable when making an application.

### Applicant in or outside Australia

All charges shown below are in Australian Dollars (AUD)							
Visa Subclass	See Note	Base Application Charge	Non- Internet Application Charge	Additional Applicant Charge 18 and over	Additional Applicant Charge under 18		
Business Owner (Subclass 160) visa	Zb	\$4675	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
Senior Executive (Subclass 161) visa	Zb	\$4675	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
Investor (Subclass 162) visa	Zb	\$4675	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
State/Territory Sponsored Business Owner (Subclass 163) visa	Zb	\$4675	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
State/Territory Sponsored Senior Executive (Subclass 164) visa	Zb-	\$4675	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		
Business Skills (Provisional) (Class UR) (Subclass 165) visa	Zb	\$4675	N/A	\$2340	\$1170		

Zb The second instalment:

- (i) for applicant who:
  - was at least 18 at the time of application; and
  - b) is assessed as not having functional English; and
  - satisfies the primary criteria for the grant of this visa

is: \$9 795;

- for each person included on the application who:
  - was at least 18 at the time of application; and
  - is assessed as not having functional English
  - satisfies the secondary criteria for the grant of this visa c)

is: \$4 890;

(iii) For any other applicant the second instalment is nil

# **Fees and Other Charges**

### **APEC Business Travel Card**

All charges are in Australian dollars (AUD). The charge must be paid at the time of application.

This table lists the charge for the APEC Business Travel Card.

APEC Business Travel Card (Australian passport holders only) \$200

See: www.immi.gov.au/skilled/business/apec/

## **Assurance of Support**

An Assurance of Support (AoS) covers the principal applicant and other family members included in the application. In certain migrant visa subclasses an AoS is a mandatory requirement which must be met prior to visa grant. If you applied for one of these visas, your assurer must also lodge a refundable bond with the Commonwealth Bank of Australia.

Other visa subclasses may have an AoS as a discretionary requirement only.

For these visa subclasses, a bond will not be required unless it is provided by an organisation other than a stage agency.

See: Fact sheet 34 Assurance of Support. www.immi.gov.au/media/fact-sheets/

## AoS assessments and AoS period

On 1 July 2004, Centrelink assumed responsibility for the assessment of AoS applications, including bond lodgement.

See: www.centrelink.gov.au

An AoS bond is held for the duration of the AoS period regardless of whether or not the migrant has obtained a different visa (except where that visa is a Humanitarian visa) or has subsequently become an Australian citizen.

For applicants applying for a permanent Contributory Parent visa, the AoS period runs for 10 years from:

- the date you arrived in Australia (if you applied from outside Australia); or
- the date you were granted a permanent visa (if you applied from within Australia).

For applicants of all other visas, the AoS period is 2 years from:

- the date you arrived in Australia (if you applied from outside of Australia); or
- the date you were granted a visa (if you applied from within Australia).

### Release of bond

#### After 1 July 2004 - AoS cases accepted by Centrelink

For all AoS cases accepted by Centrelink, only Centrelink can authorise release of the bond. Release of the bond will depend upon whether the visa holder (the assuree) has claimed any recoverable Centrelink payments during the life of the AoS.

After the AoS period has expired, the assurer should ask the nearest Centrelink office to release the bond money (less any claims by Centrelink).

#### Before 1 July 2004 - AoS cases accepted by the department

For all AoS cases accepted by the department, a bond may be released by the department before the AoS period begins. This only applies if the person for whom the bond was paid:

- does not travel to Australia before cancellation or expiry of the visa;
- withdraws their visa application;
- is not accepted for permanent entry to, or stay in, Australia; or
- dies before the AoS comes into effect.

**Important**: In all other circumstances, if the AoS period has already begun, only Centrelink can authorise the bond release.

#### **Further information**

Please contact Centrelink for more information about the AoS scheme, including up-to-date bond amounts. Centrelink will advise when to lodge the bond(s) and how much must be deposited.

Website: www.centrelink.gov.au

**Telephone:** 132 850

## **Migrant Health Services Charge**

The Migrant Health Services Charge (MHSC) is governed by the Migration (Health Services) Charges Act 1991 and applies to any unfinalised visa application lodged prior to 1 May 1997.

Applications lodged on or after 1 May 1997 are subject to a Visa Application Charge.

The MHSC is charged for each applicant (including children) included in the visa application and is indexed on 21 August each year.

Indexation is based on the Consumer Price Index (CPI) index numbers published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

According to the Act, the MHSC index is calculated by dividing the CPI index number for the March quarter of the relevant year by the CPI index number for the corresponding period in the previous year. The visa applicant is required to pay the MHSC amount as at the date of the MHSC liability notification letter.

Migrant Health Services Charge 21 August 2013 - 20 August 2014

\$1435 per person

## Translating and Interpreting Service (TIS) National

The Translating and Interpreting Service (TIS) National operates nationally and is available to any person or organisation requiring interpreting services. The interpreting service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. TIS National is accessible from anywhere in Australia.

Ensure that you check the office hours of the government agency or business with which you wish to speak before contacting TIS National.

Telephone 131 450 to be connected with a TIS National Contact Centre operator who can arrange a telephone interpreter to help you with your language needs. Where a non-English speaker is making contact with a government agency, that agency will incur the costs of interpreting.

Requests for interpreting services are subject to charges which vary according to the nature and duration of the service provided. TIS National service charges are available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/tis or contact the TIS National Client Liaison and Promotions unit on 1300 655 820 for a Schedule of Service Charges.

# Australian Federal Police (AFP) National Police Check

Applicants and sponsors who are required to provide an Australian penal clearance certificate must obtain an AFP National Police Check (NPC) from the Australian Federal Police.

The AFP National Police Check Application Form and details of the charge payable are available from the Australian Federal Police website.

**See:** www.afp.gov.au/what-we-do/police-checks/

**Note:** As the police check is for immigration purposes, the relevant Code number 'for Purpose of NPC' is 33.

## **Certificates of Status**

#### **Certificate of Evidence of Resident Status (CERS)**

Certificate for Australian permanent residents

\$100 (GST is included in this charge)

#### Certificate of Status - New Zealand citizen in Australia (CSNZCA)

Certificate for eligible New Zealand citizens

\$55 (GST is included in this charge)

#### **Certification of immigration status**

Certification of immigration status of former temporary residents for refund of superannuation contributions

\$55 (GST is included in this charge)

## Citizenship

Current fees are specified in the Australian Citizenship Regulations 2007. For all citizenship fees refer to <u>form 1298i</u> Citizenship fees.

See: www.citizenship.gov.au

## Freedom of Information (FOI)

Under the Freedom of Information Act 1982, the department may impose a charge for access to information.

FOI charges vary according to the nature of the documents requested. If you are seeking access to documents about yourself, there will be no charge. For applicants seeking documents about other individuals or other department held information, you will not be charged for the first 5 hours of decision making. For more information please refer to <a href="form 424A">form 424A</a>. Request for access to documents or information <a href="www.immi.gov.au/allforms/application-forms/forms\_alpha.htm">www.immi.gov.au/allforms/application-forms/forms\_alpha.htm</a>

## Visa Evidence Charge

Visa Evidence Charge \$70

Australia does not require a person holding a valid Australian visa to have a label in their passport to travel to, enter or remain in Australia. You should check with the relevant government authorities regarding requirements to show a visa label in your passport when you transit through or exit a country. The Australian Government cannot advise on other countries' requirements.

You can only request and pay for a visa label if you have a current Australian visa.

Regardless of when your visa application was lodged, or your visa granted, anyone who requests a visa label will be need to pay the Visa Evidence Charge.

There will be exemptions to the charge for a visa label for humanitarian, diplomatic and government sponsored visa applicants. For more information on the Visa Evidence Charge, including details on exemptions and how to make a request, refer to <u>Form 1405</u>.

More information on <u>visa labels</u> is available.

### **Review of Decisions**

Application fees for appeal against certain Migration Act decisions.

Review by Migration Review Tribunal (MRT) \$1604 Review by Refugee Review Tribunal (RRT) Nil Post decision charge (RRT) for unsuccessful applicants \$1604

50% of MRT charges may be waived in cases of severe financial hardship of the review applicant. 50% of MRT charges will be refunded if the decision is favourable or if the review of the application was invalid.

If you have paid the full AAT application fee and the application is resolved in your favour, most of it will be refunded. There is no refund if you paid the reduced application fee.

#### **Review by Administrative Appeals Tribunal**

The <u>Administrative Appeals Tribunal</u> (AAT) has jurisdiction to review a limited number of decisions relating to visas made under the Migration Act 1958.

#### **Medical review charge - MRT**

Additional charge at review stage for another opinion by a Medical Officer of the Commonwealth

\$520

### **Migration Agents Registration Authority (MARA)**

The Office of the Migration Agents Registration Authority (Office of the MARA) has responsibility for the protection of consumers through the regulation of migration agents.

Website: Office of the MARA Email: info@mara.gov.au

Migration Agents Registration Authority

PO Box Q1551 QVB NSW 1230

Telephone: 1300 22 62 72 or +61 2 9078 3552

Fax: +61 2 9078 3591

Do not ring the Office of the MARA in relation to enquiries about visas. See the general enquiry line below.

Registered Migration Agents only

Telephone: 1300 66 00 26 or +61 2 9078 3551

Migration agent registration fees cannot be paid at any office of the department.

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