



Australian Government

Department of Immigration and
Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs

Application for migration to Australia by a partner

Form
47SP

Important

This form 47SP is to be completed by persons applying for a partner visa outside Australia and by persons applying for a partner visa in Australia.

If you are applying outside Australia, you will be applying to migrate. If you are applying in Australia, you will be applying for permanent residence. In this form, the term 'migrate' covers both.

Before completing this form, you should read the detailed requirements in booklet 1, *Partner Migration*, which is available from the Department of Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs (the department) website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm or from any departmental office or Australian mission overseas. Further information on partner migration is also available from www.immi.gov.au/migration/family/partners/index.htm or you can contact the department's enquiry line (see information box on page 4).

Also read the following instructions carefully.

Before lodging the application

Make sure that:

- you are eligible to apply;
- your partner is eligible to be your sponsor; and
- you have all the required documents, including a completed form 40SP *Sponsorship for a partner to migrate to Australia* from your partner and, if applicable, a form 47A *Details of child or other dependent family member aged 18 years or over* completed and signed by each dependent child and dependent relative of yours who is aged 18 years or over (whether or not they are migrating with you).

Making a valid application

To make a valid application you must:

- complete this form;
- indicate the correct class of visa by selecting the type of application in **Part A** *Application overview* of this form;
- provide the address of where you intend to live while your application is being dealt with. Failure to give a residential address will result in your application being invalid. Under legislation, a post office box address will not be accepted as your residential address;
- pay the required charge; and
- send or deliver your application to the nearest departmental office if you are applying in Australia, or Australian mission if you are applying outside Australia. Attach any documentation you are required to provide with your application.

You must also:

- complete the form in English;
- answer all questions truthfully; and
- provide supporting documents where necessary.

If you provide incorrect information or documents, this may affect whether or not you are granted a visa, or whether or not your visa is subsequently cancelled.

Read the notes on each question. If a question is not applicable, write 'N/A'. Any changes or corrections you make must be initialled and dated by each person who signs the form. If you use **Part J** *Additional information* of this form or attach sheets of paper, each page must be signed and dated by all persons who sign the form.

After lodging the application

After you lodge your application for partner migration, under the *Migration Act 1958*, if your circumstances should change (for example, if your relationship ends due to separation, divorce or death or if you change your address), you must inform the department in writing.

If you change your address, especially if it is your address for correspondence, you can use form 929 *Change of address and/or passport details*, which is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm or from any office of the department or Australian mission. This is particularly important if you apply for a Spouse or Interdependency visa from outside Australia, are granted the temporary visa and travel to Australia. The department needs to be able to contact you to ensure that processing of your application for the permanent visa can continue.

Method of payment

In Australia:

Payment must accompany your application and is generally not refunded if the application is unsuccessful. To make a payment, please pay by credit card, debit card or by bank cheque or money order made payable to the Department of Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs. **Please do not pay by cash or personal cheque.**

Outside Australia:

For clients outside Australia, before you make your payment, please contact the nearest Australian mission to find out what methods of payment can be accepted at that office, as not all missions accept payment by credit card.

Contact details for all departmental offices in Australia and for all Australian missions overseas are available on the department's website www.immi.gov.au/contacts/index.htm

Who the form covers

The application form covers a family unit, namely a main applicant and, if applicable, any dependants.

Dependent children

A dependent child may be your natural child, adopted child or step-child. 'Step-child' means a natural or adopted child of your current spouse or a natural or adopted child of your former spouse where the child is aged under 18 years and you have a legal responsibility to care for them (for example, where your former spouse is deceased and you have legal custody of the child). You will need to provide a certified copy of the overseas or Australian court order that you have in relation to the child.

A child of any age is not considered dependent if he or she is married or in a de facto/common law relationship or is engaged to be married.

A child aged 18 years or over will not be considered dependent unless you can show that they are wholly or substantially reliant on you for financial support for their basic needs of food, shelter and clothing. You must also show that you have provided that support for a substantial period and that the child is more reliant on you than on any other person or source. Unless you can provide evidence of this, they should apply separately.

Children of any age who have a total or partial loss of bodily or mental functions that stops them earning a living are regarded as dependent and part of the family unit (whether or not they migrate with you). Give details of such children and whether or not they are in your care or in an institution.

In all cases, you should attach evidence of your child's dependency on you.

Other dependants

If you are applying outside Australia, you may include relatives other than dependent children in your application if they are single (for example, unmarried, divorced or widowed), wholly or substantially reliant on you for financial support for their basic needs of food, shelter and clothing and they have been reliant on you for that support for a substantial period. They must also be more reliant on you for support than on any other person or source.

A relative may also be considered dependent on you if they are reliant on you for financial support because they have a mental or physical disability which stops them from earning a living to support themselves.

Other relatives dependent on you may include, for example, an unmarried niece, a widowed aunt or a divorced parent.

If you have dependent children who are aged 18 years or over or other dependants who are aged 18 years or over, please obtain form 47A *Details of child or other dependent family member aged 18 years or over*. A form 47A must be completed for each dependant aged 18 years or over, whether migrating or not. Form 47A is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/forms_booklets/index.htm or from any departmental office or Australian mission overseas.

All dependent children and other dependants must meet the health requirement, whether migrating or not.

Custody requirement

The department will seek to ensure that allowing a child to migrate is not in contravention of Australia's international obligations in relation to the prevention of child abduction. If your application includes a child aged under 18 years and the child's other parent is not migrating with you or there is any other person who has the legal right to determine where the child can live, you will need to provide a statutory declaration from each of them giving permission for the child to migrate. Alternatively, you can provide a certified copy of a valid court order showing that you/your spouse has the legal right to remove the child from their home.

Supporting documents

The documents you must provide with this application are listed in **Part I Document checklist** of this application form. You may be asked to provide other documents during processing. See **Part 8** 'Evidence to provide with your application' of booklet 1, *Partner Migration* for more information.

You should provide all the documents necessary to support your claims when you make your application.

If you cannot provide all the documents when you make your application, you should tell the department which documents are missing and when you expect to be able to provide them.

If you do not provide all the necessary documents, a decision may be made on the information you have provided. It is in your interest to support your application with as much information as possible at the time of application.

'Certified copies' of documents mean copies authorised or stamped as being true copies of originals by a person or agency recognised by the law of your country. In Australia, they must be certified by a justice of the peace or commissioner for declarations or by a person before whom a statutory declaration may be made.

All documents not in English must be accompanied by a certified English translation of the original. You may be asked to provide the originals of your documents at a later stage. Do not provide originals unless you are asked.

About the information you give to the department

The department is authorised to collect information relevant to an application for migration under Part 2 of the *Migration Act 1958*. The information collected will be used for assessing your eligibility for a visa to migrate to Australia.

The information collected might also be disclosed to agencies who are authorised to receive information relating to adoption, border control, business skills, citizenship, education, health assessment, health insurance, health services, law enforcement, payment of pensions and benefits, taxation, review of decisions and registration of migration agents.

Relevant information about you will be disclosed to federal, state and territory police to assist in your location and possible detention in the event that you become an unlawful non-citizen. You will become an unlawful non-citizen if your visa ceases (for example, by cancellation for breach of visa condition) or expires and you do not hold another visa authorising you to remain in Australia.

The information collected, including the results of any tests for Human Immunodeficiency virus (HIV), will be used to assess your health for an Australian visa. A positive HIV or other test result will not necessarily lead to a visa being refused. Your result(s) may be disclosed to the relevant Australian Government, state and territory health agencies.

Form 1071i *Health requirement for permanent entry to Australia* provides additional information on Australia's visa health requirements. This form is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm or from any departmental office or Australian mission overseas.

The collection, access, storage, use and disclosure by the department of the information you provide in this form is governed by the *Privacy Act 1988* and, in particular, by the 11 Information Privacy Principles. The information form 993i *Safeguarding your personal information*, gives details of agencies to which your personal information might be disclosed. This form is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm or from any departmental office or Australian mission overseas.

The department has authority under the *Migration Act 1958* to collect a range of personal identifiers from non-citizens, including visa applicants, in certain circumstances. For more detailed information, you should read information form 1243i *Your personal identifying information*, which is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm or from any departmental office or Australian mission overseas.

The *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (FOI Act) also relates to your personal information. Under the FOI Act, you can apply for access to documents containing your personal information. You or someone authorised by you to access information on your behalf can apply to do this at any departmental office in Australia. There is no fee for accessing your own information. If you are overseas, you must provide the Australian mission with an address in Australia to which copies of personal records can be sent. More information on how to make a request under the FOI Act is given on the form 424 *Request for access to documents under the Freedom of Information Act 1982*, which is available the department's website www.immi.gov.au/forms_booklets/index.htm or from any departmental office or Australian mission overseas.

Note: Under section 234 of the *Migration Act 1958* (the Act), you may be prosecuted for deliberately providing false or misleading information to the department.

Obtaining information about you from other agencies and organisations

Under section 56 of the Act, the department may seek information about you that is relevant to your migration application from other agencies and organisations. The agencies/organisations may include:

- federal, state or territory government agencies;
- federal, state or territory law enforcement agencies;
- state or territory housing authorities (including private landlords);
- local government authorities;
- financial institutions;
- educational institutions;
- private businesses (including telecommunication and internet service providers, insurance companies); and
- any other relevant businesses or agencies.

Authorisation of a person to receive only written communications

You may authorise another person to receive all written communications about your application with the department. That person will be known as your authorised recipient. To do this, you will need to complete **Part L Options for receiving written communications** and **Part M Authorised recipient details** in this form. The authorised recipient will need to sign at **Part N Authorised recipient consent**. You can only appoint one authorised recipient at any time. The department will communicate with the most recently appointed authorised recipient.

The department is required under section 494D of the Act to send your authorised recipient any written communications relating to your application that would otherwise have been sent to you (but a copy of that communication may also still be sent to you). If your authorised recipient agrees to it at **Part N**, this communication may take place by fax or e-mail.

The department will send your authorised recipient only information that you are entitled to receive. For example, if you are a visa applicant and have a sponsor, your authorised recipient will not receive personal information about your sponsor, unless your sponsor also appointed the same authorised recipient.

If you decide to change your nominated authorised recipient after you have lodged this application, you must promptly advise the department in writing. You may use form 1231 *Appointment of authorised recipient* for this purpose, which is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm or from any office of the department or Australian mission.

Authorisation of a migration agent to act on your behalf

If you have a migration agent acting on your behalf in relation to your application, you need to complete **Part L Options for receiving written communications** and **Part O Agent details**. The migration agent will need to sign at **Part P Agent consent**.

Appointing a migration agent to act on your behalf includes authorising the department to:

- discuss your application with the migration agent and seek further information from them; and
- send your migration agent any written communications about your application that would otherwise have been sent to you.

Note: Your migration agent will be your authorised recipient for written communication under section 494D of the Act and, in accordance with that same provision, you will be taken to have received any documents sent to them.

If you change your agent or end his/her appointment after you have lodged this application, you must promptly advise the department in writing, preferably by using form 956 *Appointment of migration agent*, which is available on the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm or from your migration agent.

The department will communicate with your migration agent about your application, including your personal information such as health, police checks, financial viability and personal relationships. If your migration agent authorises it at **Part P**, this communication may take place by fax or e-mail.

The department will send your migration agent only information that you are entitled to receive. For example, if you are a visa applicant and have a sponsor, your agent will not receive personal information about your sponsor, unless your sponsor has also appointed the same migration agent.

In some situations, departmental staff will need to speak with you directly rather than with your migration agent. For example, if you are applying for a visa, the department may interview you. In some situations, the department will also send documents to you directly (for example, your passport) instead of to your migration agent, but it will inform your migration agent that it has done so.

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If you have appointed a migration agent to act for you, you are still responsible for the accuracy of information and supporting documentation that you give to your migration agent to forward to the department.

When you provide details of your migration agent, please make sure you include their 7-digit:

- migration agent registration number (if they are a registered migration agent); or
- offshore agent ID number (if they have been allocated one by the department).

Note: Migration agents who operate overseas do not need to be registered. However, they may have been allocated an ID number by the department.

Using a migration agent

You are not required to use a migration agent. However, if you use a migration agent, the department encourages you to use a registered migration agent. Registered agents are bound by the Migration Agents Code of Conduct, which requires them to act in the lawful best interests of their clients and act professionally.

A list of registered migration agents is available from the Migration Agents Registration Authority (MARA) website.

You can contact the MARA at:

E-mail: themara@themara.com.au

PO Box Q1551
QVB NSW 1230
AUSTRALIA

Telephone: 61 2 9299 5446

Fax: 61 2 9299 8448

Website: www.themara.com.au

The MARA investigates complaints against registered migration agents and may take disciplinary action against them. If you have a concern about a registered migration agent, you should contact the MARA. A copy of the complaint form is available from the MARA website.

Restrictions on giving immigration assistance

In Australia, anyone (including a lawyer) who uses knowledge of migration procedures to offer immigration assistance to a visa or cancellation review applicant, or a sponsor or nominator must be registered, unless exempted from registration requirements by law. There are serious criminal penalties under Part 3 of the Act for breaching the law, including possible imprisonment if the unregistered person asks for, or receives, a fee or reward for their services.

Using an agent exempted from registration

Certain people, such as officials, parliamentarians, diplomats, close family members (that is, only your spouse, child, adopted child, parent, brother or sister) or sponsors and nominators, are able to provide you with immigration assistance as long as they do not ask or receive a fee or reward. If you wish to appoint an 'exempted agent', you must complete form 956 *Appointment of migration agent* (which is available on the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm) and attach it to this application form.

Applications for multiple visas

If you are a dependent applicant (for example, the spouse of a primary applicant) and you wish to appoint a different migration agent to the principal applicant, you must fill out a separate form 956 *Appointment of migration agent* (which is available on the department's website

www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm) or advise the department in writing. Otherwise, the migration agent appointed by the principal applicant will have the authority to act for all persons included in the application.

Notification of giving immigration assistance

Under section 312A of the Act, a registered migration agent has a duty to notify the department when lodging an application on behalf of a client, or within 28 days of commencing to act on behalf of a visa applicant. This notification can be done by completing, and your agent signing, the relevant sections of this application form.

The Immigration Advice and Application Assistance Scheme (IAAAS)

Application assistance is provided to eligible applicants and sponsors in Australia to prepare, lodge and present applications for visas. Assistance and advice is funded by the Australian Government at no cost to the applicant or sponsor and is delivered by service providers throughout Australia. Information on eligibility can be found on Fact sheet 63 *Immigration Advice and Application Assistance Scheme*. The Fact sheet is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/facts/index.htm or from any departmental office.

Consent to communicate electronically

The department may use a range of means to communicate with you. However, electronic means such as fax or e-mail will only be used if you indicate your agreement to receiving communication in this way.

To process your application, the department may need to communicate with you about sensitive information, for example, health, police checks, financial viability and personal relationships. Electronic communications, unless adequately encrypted, are not secure and may be viewed by others or interfered with. If you agree to the department communicating with you by electronic means, the details you provide will only be used by the department for the purpose for which you have provided them, unless there is a legal obligation or necessity to use them for another purpose, or you have consented to use for another purpose. They will not be added to any mailing list.

The Australian Government accepts no responsibility for the security or integrity of any information sent to the department over the internet or by other electronic means.

If you authorise another person to receive documents on your behalf and they wish to be contacted electronically, their signature is required on the form to indicate their consent to this form of communication.

Home page www.immi.gov.au

DIMIA enquiry line

Telephone **131 881** (24 hours a day, 7 days a week). This number is available only in Australia. If you are outside Australia, please contact your nearest Australian mission.



Application for migration to Australia by a partner

Part A – Application overview

1 How many FAMILY MEMBERS (including the applicant) are included in this application for migration?

2 TYPE OF APPLICATION – *select one only*

SPOUSE

OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA:
CLASS UF (PARTNER – PROVISIONAL) (subclass 309)
CLASS BC (PARTNER – MIGRANT) (subclass 100)
IN AUSTRALIA:
CLASS UK (PARTNER – TEMPORARY) (subclass 820)
CLASS BS (PARTNER – RESIDENCE) (subclass 801)

- ▶ You must be legally married to, or be in a de facto spouse relationship with, your partner.
- ▶ If lodging outside Australia on grounds of legal marriage, you must either be legally married to your partner at time of application or intend to legally marry your partner before a decision is made about the provisional Spouse visa.
- ▶ If you are in a de facto spouse relationship with your partner, that relationship must have continued for the entire 12 months prior to you making this application.
- ▶ Your relationship must be genuine and continuing.
- ▶ You must meet age, health and character requirements.

PROSPECTIVE MARRIAGE (FIANCÉ(E))

OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA:
CLASS TO (PROSPECTIVE MARRIAGE – TEMPORARY) (subclass 300)

- ▶ You must travel to Australia before you marry.
- ▶ You must marry your sponsor within 9 months of being granted the visa.
- ▶ You must meet relationship, age, health and character requirements.

INTERDEPENDENCY

OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA:
CLASS UF (PARTNER – PROVISIONAL) (subclass 310)
CLASS BC (PARTNER – MIGRANT) (subclass 110)
IN AUSTRALIA:
CLASS UK (PARTNER – TEMPORARY) (subclass 826)
CLASS BS (PARTNER – RESIDENCE) (subclass 814)

- ▶ You must be in an interdependent relationship with your partner that has continued for the entire 12 months prior to you making this application.
- ▶ Your relationship must be genuine and continuing.
- ▶ You must meet age, health and character requirements.

Part B – Processing details

3 Are you in Australia at the time of lodging this application?

No

Yes

4 Are you or any person included in this application currently awaiting a decision on another visa application?

No

Yes ▶ Give details

1. Family name
Given names
Class of visa applied for

2. Family name
Given names
Class of visa applied for

3. Family name
Given names
Class of visa applied for

4. Family name
Given names
Class of visa applied for

5 Have you or any person included in this application ever had a visa cancelled?

No

Yes ▶ Give details

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

6 Have you or any other person included in this application ever been refused an entry permit or visa to Australia?

No

Yes ▶ Give details

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

7 Have you held, or do you currently hold a Bridging Visa E?

No

Yes

8 Is any person included in this application currently in immigration detention or any other custody?

No

Yes Give details

Four empty text input fields for providing details.

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

9 Have you or any dependent family members (migrating with you or not) previously been to Australia, held or currently hold a visa for travel to Australia?

No

Yes Give details

1. Full name

Purpose of stay in Australia

Date of arrival DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of departure DAY MONTH YEAR

Visa label number V <

If granted a visa without a label, please provide the 13-digit visa grant number (as shown on the letter notifying the applicant of the grant of the visa).

Visa grant number

2. Full name

Purpose of stay in Australia

Date of arrival DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of departure DAY MONTH YEAR

Visa label number V <

If granted a visa without a label, please provide the 13-digit visa grant number (as shown on the letter notifying the applicant of the grant of the visa).

Visa grant number

3. Full name

Purpose of stay in Australia

Date of arrival DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of departure DAY MONTH YEAR

Visa label number V <

If granted a visa without a label, please provide the 13-digit visa grant number (as shown on the letter notifying the applicant of the grant of the visa).

Visa grant number

4. Full name

Purpose of stay in Australia

Date of arrival DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of departure DAY MONTH YEAR

Visa label number V <

If granted a visa without a label, please provide the 13-digit visa grant number (as shown on the letter notifying the applicant of the grant of the visa).

Visa grant number

5. Full name

Purpose of stay in Australia

Date of arrival DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of departure DAY MONTH YEAR

Visa label number V <

If granted a visa without a label, please provide the 13-digit visa grant number (as shown on the letter notifying the applicant of the grant of the visa).

Visa grant number

6. Full name

Purpose of stay in Australia

Date of arrival DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of departure DAY MONTH YEAR

Visa label number V <

If granted a visa without a label, please provide the 13-digit visa grant number (as shown on the letter notifying the applicant of the grant of the visa).

Visa grant number

Part C – Your details

10 Main applicant's full name
(as shown in your passport or travel document)

Family name

Given names

11 Name in your own language or script
(if applicable)

12 Other ways you spell your name

Family name

Given names

13 Name in Chinese Commercial Code Numbers
(if applicable)

14 Other names you are, or have been, known by
(including name at birth, previous married names, aliases)

15 Sex Male Female

16 Date of birth

17 Place of birth

Town/city

Country

18 Details from your passport

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as
shown in your
passport

19 Of which countries are you a citizen?

20 Country of current residence

21 Current relationship status

Married Date of marriage

In a de facto spouse relationship Date relationship began

Engaged Date of intended marriage

Place of intended marriage

In an interdependent relationship Date relationship began

22 Have you been married before?

No
Yes Give details

Name of previous spouse

Date of birth

Period of marriage

Date started

Date ended

How did it end?
(eg. divorce, separation)

Number of children from this relationship

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

23 Have you ever been in a de facto spouse relationship before?

No
Yes Give details

Name of previous partner

Date of birth

Period of relationship

Date started

Date ended

Number of children from this relationship

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

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24 Have you ever been in an interdependent relationship before?

No

Yes Give details

Name of previous partner

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR / /

Period of relationship

Date started DAY MONTH YEAR / /

Date ended / /

Number of children from this relationship

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

25 Your current residential address

Note: You are required to provide a residential address on this form for it to be a valid visa application. Under legislation, a post office box address is not acceptable as a residential address.

POSTCODE

26 Address for correspondence before arrival in Australia (if the same as your residential address, write 'AS ABOVE')

POSTCODE

27 Address for correspondence after your arrival in Australia (if different from Question 26 above). (No response will be taken as authorisation to use your partner's address after your arrival in Australia, unless you have provided details of an authorised recipient or migration agent in Part M or Part O)

POSTCODE

28 Your telephone numbers

Office hours COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER () ()

After hours () ()

29 Do you agree to the department communicating with you by fax, e-mail or other electronic means?

No

Yes Give details

Fax number COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER () ()

E-mail address

30 Your usual occupation

31 If you are applying from outside Australia:

Where do you intend to live in Australia?

New South Wales

Tasmania

Victoria

Australian Capital Territory

Queensland

Northern Territory

Western Australia

External Territory

South Australia

Do not know

32 If you are applying from outside Australia:

What is the value of money, goods and assets which you intend to bring to Australia?

Total amount in local currency

Australian dollar equivalent

A\$

33 Do you have any identification numbers? (eg. national identity card, social security card or alien registration)

No

Yes Give details

1. Country

Type of ID

Your number

2. Country

Type of ID

Your number

3. Country

Type of ID

Your number

34 Your main language

35 How well do you communicate in English?

Better than functional

Functional

Limited

Not at all

36 Other languages you read, understand, speak and write fluently

Part D – Your family details

(If not living, write 'DECEASED' in country residence box)

37 YOUR PARENTS

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

1. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female
DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

2. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female
DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

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Place of issue as shown in your passport

38 ALL YOUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS

(including full, half, step and adopted brothers and sisters)

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

1. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female
DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

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2. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female
DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

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Issuing authority/
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3. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry DAY MONTH YEAR

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

4. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry DAY MONTH YEAR

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

5. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry DAY MONTH YEAR

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

6. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry DAY MONTH YEAR

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

39 YOUR CHILDREN

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

1. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry DAY MONTH YEAR

Issuing authority/ Place of issue as shown in your passport

2. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry DAY MONTH YEAR

Issuing authority/ Place of issue as shown in your passport

3. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry DAY MONTH YEAR

Issuing authority/ Place of issue as shown in your passport

4. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry DAY MONTH YEAR

Issuing authority/ Place of issue as shown in your passport

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5. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

6. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

40 OTHER DEPENDANTS (including any dependent children of a dependant)

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

1. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

2. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

3. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

4. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

5. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

6. Family name

Given names

Sex Male Female

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of birth

Marital Status

Relationship to you

Country of current residence

If in Australia, immigration status (eg. permanent)

Migrating with you No Yes

PASSPORT DETAILS (only if dependent on you and migrating with you)

Passport number

Country of passport

DAY MONTH YEAR
Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in your passport

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Note: Each dependent child aged 18 years or over and other dependent family members aged 18 years or over listed at Questions 39 and 40, whether or not they are migrating with you, **must** complete a form 47A *Details of child or other dependent family member aged 18 years or over*. Form 47A is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm or from any departmental office or Australian mission overseas.

41 Are any of your family members included in this application for migration under 18 years of age?

No ► Go to Part E

Yes

42 Do you have the sole legal right to determine where each child shall live or to remove each child from their home country?

No ► Give details of ALL other people who have custody, access or guardianship rights in relation to the child(ren)

You must attach a statutory declaration from each of these people giving permission for the child(ren) to migrate

1. Name

Residential address

POSTCODE

Telephone number

COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER

() ()

Relationship to the child

Nature of the legal right

2. Name

Residential address

POSTCODE

Telephone number

COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER

() ()

Relationship to the child

Nature of the legal right

If you do not have enough space, please attach a separate statement with further details

Yes ► Attach a certified copy of the court order giving you the sole legal right to determine where the child shall live or the right to remove the child from the country

Part E – Your partner's details

43 Your partner's full name
(as shown in passport or travel document)

Family name

Given names

44 Your partner's name in his/her own language or script
(if applicable)

45 Other ways your partner spells his/her name

Family name

Given names

46 Name in Chinese Commercial Code Numbers (if applicable)

47 Other names your partner is, or has been, known by
(including name at birth, previous married names, aliases)

48 Sex Male Female

49 Date of birth

DAY MONTH YEAR

/ /

50 Place of birth

Town/city

Country

51 What is your partner's citizenship/residence status in Australia?

Tick one box only

Australian citizen by birth ▶ Please attach a certified copy of your partner's birth certificate

Australian citizen by grant ▶ Date citizenship was granted DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Attach proof of citizenship

Permanent resident of Australia ▶ Date of arrival in Australia DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Attach proof of length of residence

Which citizenships does your partner hold?

Eligible New Zealand citizen ▶ Length of residence in Australia

Please attach proof

52 Details from your partner's passport

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Date of expiry DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Issuing authority/
Place of issue as shown in passport

53 Partner's country of current residence

54 Partner's residential address

(If different to yours)

 POSTCODE

55 Partner's telephone numbers

(If different to yours)

Office hours COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER

After hours COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER

56 Partner's fax number

(If different to yours)

COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER

57 Partner's e-mail address

(If different to yours)

58 Partner's usual occupation

59 Has your partner been married before?

No

Yes ▶ Give details

Name of previous spouse

Date of birth DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Period of marriage

Date started DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Date ended DAY / MONTH / YEAR

How did it end? (eg. divorce, separation)

Number of children from this relationship

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

60 Has your partner ever been in a de facto spouse relationship before?

No

Yes ▶ Give details

Name of previous partner

Date of birth DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Period of relationship

Date started DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Date ended DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Number of children from this relationship

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

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61 Has your partner ever been engaged to be married before (not counting an engagement that lead to the marriage referred to in Question 59)?

No

Yes Give details

Name of previous fiancé(e)

Date of birth

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	

Period of relationship

Date started

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	

Date ended

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	

Number of children from this relationship

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

62 Has your partner ever been in an interdependent relationship before?

No

Yes Give details

Name of previous partner

Date of birth

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	

Period of relationship

Date started

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	

Date ended

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	

Number of children from this relationship

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part J

Part F – Your partner’s family details

Give details of ALL your partner’s family
 (If not living, write ‘DECEASED’ in country of current residence column)

Full name	Sex	Date of birth			Marital status	Country of current residence	If in Australia, immigration status eg. permanent
	M/F	DAY	MONTH	YEAR			

63 Your partner’s parents

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64 All your partner’s brothers and sisters (including full, half, step and adopted brothers and sisters)

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65 All your partner’s children (including from previous marriages/relationships)

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66 All your partner’s other dependants (including any dependent children of a dependant)

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Part G – Relationship details

67 When and where did you and your partner first meet?

Date

Place

68 How long after you met did you and your partner begin a relationship?

(days, months or years)

69 When did you and your partner make the decision that you both:

(a) wanted to commit to a long-term spouse or interdependent relationship; **OR**

(b) intended to marry each other?

Date

Note: If you are applying for a Prospective Marriage visa, go to Question 72.

70 When and where did you begin a spouse or interdependent relationship with your partner?

A spouse or interdependent relationship is a relationship between a couple who have a mutual commitment to a shared life to the exclusion of any other spouse relationships or any other interdependent relationships. The relationship between them is genuine and continuing, and they live together or do not live separately and apart on a permanent basis.

Date

Place

71 If you and your partner are not living together or have not lived together, please give brief reasons why.

72 Do you and your partner intend to maintain a lasting relationship?

No

Yes

73 If you and your partner are in a de facto spouse, fiancé(e) or interdependent relationship, are either of you still legally married to another person?

No

Yes Give details

If insufficient space, give details under Additional information at Part H

74 Did you enter into this relationship with your partner solely to gain permanent residence in Australia?

No

Yes

75 If applying on the grounds of marriage, give details of marriage (enclose a certified copy of your marriage certificate)

Date

Place

76 Did you enter Australia as the holder of a Prospective Marriage visa and marry your sponsor?

No

Yes When did you marry?
(the date and place as specified by the person who solemnised your marriage)

Date

Place

77 If you are in a de facto spouse, fiancé(e) or interdependent relationship, are you related to your partner by blood, marriage or adoption?

No

Yes Attach details of the relationship, including certified copies of birth certificates or a family tree

78 Has the relationship ceased?

No Go to Part H

Yes

79 Has domestic violence occurred?

No Give details of how the relationship ceased

Yes The department requires evidence of this. Please refer to form 1040 *Statutory declaration relating to domestic violence*.

Note: The domestic violence provision is only available for those applicants in Australia.

83 In which countries have you lived for 12 months (in total) or more during the last 10 years?

Country	Dates lived there		Last permanent address in that country
	FROM	TO	
	FROM	/	
	TO	/	
	FROM	/	
	TO	/	
	FROM	/	
	TO	/	
	FROM	/	
	TO	/	
	FROM	/	
	TO	/	
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	TO	/	
	FROM	/	
	TO	/	

Part I – Document checklist

84 Have you ever been given written permission by the department to work in Australia?

No

Yes ► Date permission given

From

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	/

 to

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	/

From

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	/

 to

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	/

From

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	/

 to

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	/

85 Have you ever been paid any benefits or received any social services from a government agency in Australia?

(for example, unemployment benefits, public housing benefits, Medicare, or free or subsidised education)

No

Yes ► Give details

From

MONTH	YEAR
/	/

 to

MONTH	YEAR
/	/

Name of government agency or institution

Type of benefits/service

From

MONTH	YEAR
/	/

 to

MONTH	YEAR
/	/

Name of government agency or institution

Type of benefits/service

From

MONTH	YEAR
/	/

 to

MONTH	YEAR
/	/

Name of government agency or institution

Type of benefits/service

86 You **must** provide the following documents with your completed application form.

Note: If the documents are in a language other than English, translations into English must be provided. In Australia, the translator must be accredited by the National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters (NAATI).

It is in your interest to provide all the documents requested with your valid application. Failure to do so may result in the processing of your application being delayed, or a decision being made to refuse to grant the visa.

Certified copies of the passports or travel documents of all people included in your application.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Documents to prove your identity – a certified copy of your birth registration showing both parents' names. If you do not have a birth certificate and are unable to get one, you must provide a certified copy of the identification pages of at least one of the following documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • passport • family book showing both parents' names • identification document issued by the government • document issued by a court that verifies your identity. <p>If you are unable to provide one of these documents, you must provide other acceptable evidence that you are who you claim to be.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evidence that your partner is an Australian citizen, Australian permanent resident or eligible New Zealand citizen, (certified copy of birth certificate, Australian passport or foreign passport containing evidence of permanent residence; for New Zealand citizens – evidence of length of residence in Australia and of continuing links with Australia).	<input type="checkbox"/>
4 (or 2 if applying in Australia) recent passport-size photographs (45mm x 35mm) of yourself and any other person included in the application. These should be of the head and shoulders only, and should show the person facing the camera and against a plain background. You should print the name of the person on the back of each photograph. 2 passport-size photographs of your partner.	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
If you or anyone included in your application is or has been married, certified copies of the marriage certificate(s).	<input type="checkbox"/>
If anyone included in your application has been divorced or widowed, a certified copy of the divorce decree absolute or the death certificate of the deceased spouse (as appropriate).	<input type="checkbox"/>
If anyone included in your application has changed his or her name (for example by marriage or deed poll), a certified copy of evidence of the name change.	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Certified copies of birth certificates or the family book, showing names of both parents, for all children included in your application.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Certified copies of documents to verify custody and access arrangements, for children under 18 years of age unless it is the child of both the applicant and the sponsor.	<input type="checkbox"/>
If any child included in your application is adopted, a certified copy of the adoption papers.	<input type="checkbox"/>
If you have served in the armed forces of any country, certified copies of military service records or discharge papers.	<input type="checkbox"/>
A completed form 47A for each dependant aged 18 years or over of you and/or your spouse, whether or not they are migrating with you.	<input type="checkbox"/>
A completed form 40SP from your sponsor.	<input type="checkbox"/>
If already undertaken, you should include results of your health and character checks.	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you are applying for a **Spouse visa**, you must also provide the following documents with your application:

- if you are applying on marriage grounds:

Marriage certificate.	<input type="checkbox"/>
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- if you are applying on de facto spouse grounds:

Evidence that your de facto spouse relationship is genuine and continuing and has existed for the entire 12 months before lodging this application.	<input type="checkbox"/>
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- if you are applying in Australia as the holder (or, since last entry to Australia, a former holder) of a Prospective Marriage visa:

A letter from the overseas post advising approval of your Prospective Marriage visa application.	<input type="checkbox"/>
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In **all** circumstances, you must also provide the following documents with your application:

Evidence that your relationship is genuine and continuing.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Written statements from you and from your partner detailing the history of your relationship (for example, when and how you met, when you started living together, joint activities, significant events in the relationship).	<input type="checkbox"/>
At least 2 statutory declarations from individuals who are Australian citizens or permanent residents and have personal knowledge of your relationship and support your claim that the relationship is genuine and continuing (see form 888 <i>Statutory declaration by a supporting witness relating to a partner visa application</i>).	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you are applying for a **Prospective Marriage visa**, you must also provide the following documents with your application:

Evidence that you and your fiancé(e) have met and are personally known to each other.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evidence that you intend to marry your fiancé(e) within 9 months of being granted the visa.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Written statements from you and your fiancé(e) detailing the history of your relationship (for example, when and how you met, when you became engaged, joint activities, significant events in the relationship).	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you are applying for an **Interdependency visa**, you must also provide the following documents with your application:

Evidence that your interdependent relationship is genuine and continuing and has existed for the entire 12 months before lodging this application.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Written statements from you and from your partner detailing the history of your relationship (for example, when and how you met, when you started living together, joint activities, significant events in the relationship).	<input type="checkbox"/>
At least 2 statutory declarations from individuals who are Australian citizens or permanent residents and have personal knowledge of your relationship and support your claim that the relationship is genuine and continuing (see form 888 <i>Statutory declaration by a supporting witness relating to a partner visa application</i>).	<input type="checkbox"/>

Part M – Authorised recipient details

Note: Do NOT complete this section if you are acting as a migration agent, go to Part O

- 94** Provide details of the person who is authorised on your behalf to receive all written communications about this application.

Title: Mr Mrs Miss Ms Other

Family name

Given names

Authorised recipient's postal address

<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>
POSTCODE

Telephone number or daytime contact

Office hours

COUNTRY CODE	AREA CODE	NUMBER
()	()	

Mobile phone

Part N – Authorised recipient consent

- 95** As the authorised recipient named on this form, do you agree to the department communicating with you by fax, e-mail or other electronic means?

No

Yes Give details

Fax number

COUNTRY CODE	AREA CODE	NUMBER
()	()	

E-mail address

- 96** I understand and accept that I am the person appointed by the applicant to receive all written communications.

Signature of authorised recipient

Date

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	

▶▶ Now go to Part Q

Part O – Agent details

- 97** Provide the details requested below about the agent who is authorised to act on your behalf and to receive all written communications about this application.

Migration Agent Registration Number (MARN)

7 DIGITS						
:	:	:	:	:	:	:

OR

Offshore Agent ID Number (if allocated by the department)

7 DIGITS						
:	:	:	:	:	:	:

Title: Mr Mrs Miss Ms Other

Family name

Given names

Business or company name

Postal address

<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>
POSTCODE

Telephone number or daytime contact

Office hours

COUNTRY CODE	AREA CODE	NUMBER
()	()	

Mobile phone

Part P – Agent consent

- 98** As the agent named on this form, do you agree to the department communicating with you by fax, e-mail or other electronic means?

No

Yes Give details

Fax number

COUNTRY CODE	AREA CODE	NUMBER
()	()	

E-mail address

- 99** I understand and accept that I am the person appointed by the applicant to receive all written communications and act as his/her agent.

Signature of agent

Date

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
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Part Q – Payment details

100 Has the **visa application charge** already been paid?

(For the current charges and how your visa application charge can be paid, refer to the latest version of form 990i Charges on the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/index.htm or check with your nearest departmental office or Australian mission, contact details for which are at www.immi.gov.au/contacts/index.htm)

Note: If you do not pay the visa application charge, your application will be returned unassessed.

No Go to Question 101 to specify how you will pay

Yes Give details

Departmental receipt number

Date of payment DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Place of payment

Name of person who made payment

Family name

Given names

Note: Please also attach to this application a certified copy of the departmental receipt.

▶▶ Now go to Part R

101 How will you pay your application charge?

- Bank cheque Please make payable to:
 Department of Immigration and
 Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs
- Money order
- Credit card Give details below

Payment by (tick one box) Australian Dollars

MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/>	Visa <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> A\$
Bankcard <input type="checkbox"/>	Diners Club <input type="checkbox"/>	
American Express <input type="checkbox"/>	JCB <input type="checkbox"/>	

Credit card number

Expiry date MONTH / YEAR

Cardholder's name

Telephone number COUNTRY CODE () () AREA CODE NUMBER

Address

 POSTCODE

Signature of cardholder

Credit card information will be used for charge paying purposes only

Part R – Signatures

102 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT REGARDING SOCIAL SECURITY PAYMENTS

This acknowledgment must be signed by the main applicant and each accompanying person aged 16 years or over.

I understand that if granted a visa:

- there is a TWO YEAR wait for social security payments, including unemployment benefits, for most newly arrived migrants;
- I will need to have enough money, even if unemployed, to support myself for the first two years and if I run out of money or fail to get a job in that period, that would not be sufficient reason to make me eligible for social security income support payments;
- the cost of living in Australia, compared to many other countries, is high;
- approval to migrate does not guarantee employment in Australia and that it is entirely my own responsibility to secure employment after arrival, including investigating my prospects before I arrive in Australia;
- work availability varies significantly from time to time in different parts of Australia and that for many jobs in Australia, applicants must be eligible for membership of a professional or industry organisation and/or be able to be registered or licensed with an Australian state authority before working in a particular occupation.

Signature of main applicant

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

103 DECLARATION

This declaration must be signed by the main applicant and each accompanying person aged 16 years or over.

Warning: Under the *Migration Act 1958*, there are penalties for deliberately giving false or misleading information.

Maximum penalty = 10 years imprisonment and/or A\$110,000.

- *I declare that the information I have supplied in this application is complete, correct and up-to-date in every detail.*
- *I understand that if I give false or misleading information, my application may be refused, or any visa granted may be cancelled.*
- *I understand that if this application is approved, any person not included in this application will not have automatic right of entry to Australia by way of this application.*
- *I will inform the department of any changes to my personal circumstances (including change of address) while my application is being considered. I understand this also applies to my permanent migrant/residence visa application.*
- *I will inform the department if my relationship with my partner breaks down or ends in divorce, separation or death before this application is decided.*
- *I authorise the Australian Government to make any enquiries necessary to determine my eligibility for permanent stay in Australia, and to use any information collected for that purpose. Information may be obtained from following agencies/organisations:*
 - *federal, state or territory government agencies;*
 - *federal, state or territory law enforcement agencies;*
 - *state or territory housing authorities (including private landlords);*
 - *local government authorities;*
 - *financial institutions;*
 - *educational institutions;*
 - *private businesses (including telecommunication and internet service providers, insurance companies); and*
 - *any other relevant businesses or agencies.*
- *I have read and understood the information supplied to me in this application.*

Signature of main applicant

Date

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
/	/	

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Office use only

Client ID