

# VFS PORTUGAL

<b>D2 – RESIDENCE VISA FOR THE EXERCISE OF AN INDEPENDENT PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY OR DIRECTED TO IMMIGRANTS ENTREPRENEURS</b>		Yes	No
1	Filled Visa Application Form (available at <a href="https://www.vistos.mne.pt/en/visa-application/apply-for-a-visa">https://www.vistos.mne.pt/en/visa-application/apply-for-a-visa</a> ).		
2	Passport valid for an additional 3 months following the duration of the intended stay.		
3	Two identical passport photographs, up-to-date and in good condition, allowing proper identification		
4	Travel reservation ensuring the return of the applicant to the home country.		
5	Valid travel insurance covering necessary medical expenses, including emergency assistance and repatriation.		
6	Form authorizing access to Portuguese criminal record consultation by the Immigration and Border Services (Serviço de Estrangeiros e Fronteiras – SEF).		
7	Police Clearance certificate from the applicant’s country of origin or country of residency for over one year – the Police Clearance certificate is only considered valid up to three months after the date of issuance. Older PCC’s will not be accepted (minors under 16 years of age are exempt from producing any criminal record related document). (PCC should be Apostille from MEA).		
8	Proof of accommodation.		
9	Proof of means of subsistence, which may be produced through a term of responsibility issued by the worker hosting entity.		
<b>DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE PRACTISE OF AN INDEPENDENT PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY:</b>		Yes	No
1	Work contract as an independent service provider		
2	Proof of relevant academic qualifications or professional experience in the work contract's related field.		
3	Proof that the applicant is qualified to practice the profession, when such profession is regulated in Portugal.		
<b>DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FROM IMMIGRANTS ENTREPRENEURS OR FOR START-UP VISAS:</b>		Yes	No
1	Document proving the applicant’s previous investments operations or the possession of the financial means in Portugal needed to proceed to an operation of such nature. Or A document proving the applicant’s possession of financial means in Portugal, including the ones obtained in a financial institution in Portuguese territory, and the intention to proceed to an investment operation in Portugal – details of the investment must be given. Or A declaration issued by IAPMEI (Agência para a Competitividade e Inovação, I.P.), certifying the signing agreement of an incubation contract with a certified incubator, in accordance with Article 6o of Normative Order n.º 4/2018 of the Minister of Economy, of 2 February that regulates the «Startup Visa» Program.		

**Note:** (1) Applicant could be asked for additional documents or may be called for an Interview if desired by The Embassy of Portugal, New Delhi. (2) The visa fee, according to Schengen regulations, is non-refundable. (3) Carry All documents in Original at the time of interview. (4) National Visas require a consultation of one or more authorities in Portugal, therefore the Embassy and those authorities require at least 30 working days after the visa is submitted or after interview (if the same is requested by the Embassy) to process the visa application.

**Declaration: I confirm that I have submitted only the above ticked documents.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Passport No: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant’s Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Interview date: \_\_\_\_\_

Travel Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact No. \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Id \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments (if any):**

**Application Submitted by:** ..... **Sign.**.....

**VFS Staff:** Name ..... Date: .....