

BUSINESS VISA

BEFORE APPLYING FOR PAKISTAN'S BUSINESS VISA

Application Type

You can apply for two types of visas online:

First Time (New): You can apply for a new visa if you do not possess a valid Pakistan visa.

Extension: You can apply for a visa extension if you possess a valid Pakistan visa and you are residing in Pakistan.

Eligibility

- Citizens of countries **listed here** are eligible to apply for this visa.

NOTE: You may be eligible to Apply for a Business Visa on arrival, please check your **eligibility here.**

Required Documents

1. Photograph
2. Passport
3. Proof of registration of company which is extending invitation (SECP/ Chamber of Commerce Certificate)
4. Any of the following:
 - Recommendation letter from CC&I of respective foreign country
 - Invitation letter from business organization duly recommended by concerned trade organization in Pakistan – In order to get this REQUIRED DOCUMENT – Please apply through Pakistan's E-Business Invitation Letter System – For more details **PLEASE CLICK HERE!**
 - Recommendation letter by the Honorary Investment Counsellor of BOI/Commercial Attaché

Required Documents for Reko Diq Project

1. Photograph
2. Passport
3. Invitation letter from the Reko Diq Mining Company
 - You are required to upload proof of legal residence, in case you are not present in your home country and are applying for visa from a third country, it's a

mandatory requirement. The document can be uploaded in the supporting document type: Other

- In case of extension - Please upload proof of valid Pakistani visa for which you are seeking extension and entry stamp on your Passport in the supporting document type: Other

Duration and Validity

- A Business Visa may be granted for up to 5 years.
- A Business Visa is valid for Multiple Entries in to Pakistan

In case of seeking extension, please make sure that you have a valid Pakistani visa and are residing in Pakistan.

Processing Time

Decisions on issuance of visa, its duration, number of entries or extensions are taken by the Government of Pakistan.

- Entry for Business Visa (Listed countries) : 24 Hours (Working Hours)
- Entry for Non-Business Visa List countries : 4 Weeks (Working days)
- Entry for Reko Diq Project (All countries): : 24 Hours (Working Hours)
- Extension : 4 Weeks (Working days)