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# REQUIREMENTS TO OBTAIN A VISA

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## REQUIREMENTS TO OBTAIN AN ORDINARY VISA

- 1- Forms duly completed in block letters and signed by the holder of the passport.
- 2- Two coloured passport photos, on a white background
- 3- Valid passport for a period of **six (06) months** (or a copy of the passport).
- 4- Invite letter proceeding from the collective entity or by the inviter, addressed to the Consulate General of the Republic of Angola on **fax n° (011) 622 7959**.
- 5- Confirmation of employment letter.
- 6- Fees – R **750.00** for a single entry, payable upon submission of the applicant's documents.
- 7- Days of collection and issuing of passports: From Mondays to Thursdays (**09h00 to 12h00**). Please note that the Visa section closes at **11h00** on Fridays.
- 8- The visas are processed over a period of **five (5) days**, starting from the date on which the request had been submitted.
- 9- Urgent Visas for a period of **three (3) days** (R **1.000.00**).
- 10- Visas are only issued to South African citizens and foreigners with a permanent residence status, study permit and Work permit.
- 11- Passports should have a minimum of **three (3) pages** for the issuing of the visa.

## REQUIREMENTS TO OBTAIN A TRANSIT VISA

- 1- Forms duly completed in block letters and signed by the holder of the passport.
- 2- Two colored passport photos, on a white background.
- 3- Valid passport for a period of **eighteen (18) months** and a copy of the passport.
- 4- Air Ticket to the country of destination.
- 5- Entity letter requesting the visa or of the person planning to travel to Angola.
- 6- Fees of R **225,00**, payable upon .
- 7- The visa is processed over a period of **three (3) days** starting from the date on which the request had been submitted.
- 8- Visa of the country of destination.

NATIONAL FESTIVITIES	
25 January	Day of the city of Luanda
11 February to 7 March	Carnival day
28 to 30 November	Day of "Kianda"

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS	
1 January	New year
4 January	Massacre day "Baixa de Kassange"
4 February	Beginning of Armed Struggle
8 March	International woman's day
4 April	Day of the peace accord in Angola
1 May	International workers day
25 May	Africa day
1 June	Children's day
17 September	National heroes day
2 November	Day of the dead
11 November	Independence day
25 December	Christmas day

NATIONAL TRADE FAIR	
April	Telecommunication and Civil Constructions Information Technology (CONSTROI ANGOLA)
July	International Fair of Luanda (FILDA)
November	National Production Fair (FENAPRO)
December	Oil Fairs

## REQUIREMENTS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

- 1- Forms duly completed in duplicate in block letters and signed by the holder of the passport.
- 2- Four colored passport photos, on a white background.
- 3- Valid passport for a period of eighteen **(18) months** (or a copy of the passport).
- 4- Declaration by the applicant, promising to adhere to Angolan law.
- 5- Police clearance from the country of residence, valid for a period of **six (6) months**.
- 6- Curriculum Vitae.
- 7- Medical Certificate, issued in the country of residence, as well as HIV test certificate.
- 8- Proof of Residence.
- 9- Proof of income.
- 10- All documents must be translated into Portuguese.
- 11- The documents must be certified by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of South Africa and then by the Consulate-General of Angola in Johannesburg.
- 12- Fees of R **3.000.00** for permanent residence payable upon.
- 13- All documents must be translated to Portuguese.

**NB!** This type of visa should be used within 60 (sixty) days subsequent to its granting and entitles the holder to stay in the country for a period of **120** (One Hundred and Twenty) days, renewable for a similar period of time, until the final decision to obtain the permanent residence status..

## REQUIREMENTS TO OBTAIN A WORK VISA

- 1- Forms duly completed in block letters and signed by the holder of the passport.
- 2- Four colored passport photos, on a white background.
- 3- Valid passport for a period of eighteen **(18) months**.  
(or a copy of the passport).
- 4- Declaration by the applicant, promising to adhere to Angolan law.
- 5- Police clearance from the country of residence, valid for a period of **six (6) months**.
- 6- Medical report stating your physical condition as well as HIV status certificate.
- 7- Educational or professional certificates (Duplicate)
- 8- Curriculum Vitae.
- 9- Proof of residence .
- 10- Labour contract.
- 11- Photocopy of the business permit to practice.
- 12- Photocopy of the updated income tax.
- 13- Publication in the "Government Gazette".
- 14- Fees of R **2.400,00** to obtain a work visa, payable upon.
- 15- All documents must be translated to Portuguese.
- 16- The documents must be certified by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of South Africa and then by the Consulate-General of Angola in Johannesburg

**NB!** This type of visa is valid for multiple entries it will enable the applicant to remain in Angola for a period of one (01) year, renewable for equal periods, up to the completion of the individual agreement.

## POWER OF ATTOURNEY

All Powers of Attourney are issued according to the contest and judicial text presented thereon submitted to this Consular Mission.

All Private and Public entities request our notary assistance, should attach either the passport or ID of the applicant as well as the procurator to the power of attourney.

## TRANSLATIONS

All official Translations should be done by a person acknowledged by the South African Authorities.

The Translator should have his or her signature at the Consulate or Embassy by presenting the original Translator's certificate, which enable them to do sworn Translations.

The acknowledgement of a sworn translator at Angolan Institutions (Embassy or Consulate) is opened through a letter requesting the confirmation of the signature, accompanied by the Passport or ID.

**Please note:** any money paid regarding the visa to the Consulate's account, is non refundable

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