Application Procedures for Multiple Visa for Nationals of India

*see the final page for business purpose and cultural/intellectual figures

The following is an outline of application procedures for nationals of India who wish to apply for a multiple entry visa as a temporary visitor (period of stay: 90 days, visa validity: 5 years). The visa is for the purpose of tourism, business affairs, and visits to relatives/acquaintances, so it is not permitted to perform activities to undertake revenue generating business operations or activities to receive remuneration.

1. Eligibility for Applicant

Nationals of India with ordinary MRP (Machine Readable Passport)/ e-passport in compliance with the ICAO (International Civil Aviation Organization) standard, who wishes to apply for a multiple entry visa and are applicable to one of the following categories:

- (1) Individual who has travel records as temporary visitor to Japan twice or more in the last three years
- (2) Individual who has travel record as temporary visitor to Japan in the last three years and has financial capacity to pay the travel expense
- (3) Individual who has travel record as temporary visitor to Japan and travel records as temporary visitor to G7 countries (except Japan) in the last three years
- (4) Individual with sufficient financial capacity
- (5) Spouse or children of the individuals who are mentioned (4) above

2. Necessary Documents to Submit

- (1) Applicant with travel records to Japan twice or more in the last three years (as mentioned 1(1) above)
- a. Application form (with Photo)
- b. Passport (MRP/ e-passport in compliance with the ICAO standard only)
- c. Current or old passport that shows Japanese temporary visitor visa and entry stamps in the last three years
- e. Valid New Zealand visa (including electronic visa but excluding visitor visa)
- f. A letter of explanation stating the reason for applying for the multiple visa
- (2) Applicant with travel record to Japan in the last three years (as mentioned 1(2) above)
- a. Application form (with Photo)
- b. Passport (MRP/ e-passport in compliance with the ICAO standard only)
- c. Current or old passport that shows temporary visitor visa and entry stamp of Japan in the last three years
- d. Evidence showing financial capacity (tax statement showing annual salary, certificate of employment showing annual salary, plus any other supporting documents such as bank statements, property ownership)
- e. Valid New Zealand visa (including electronic visa but excluding visitor visa)
- f. A letter of explanation stating the reason for applying for the multiple visa
- (3) Applicant with travel records to Japan and G7 in the last three years (as mentioned 1(3) above)
- a. Application form (with Photo)
- b. Passport (MRP/ e-passport in compliance with the ICAO standard only)
- c. Current or old passport that shows temporary visitor visas and entry stamps of Japan and G7 countries (except Japan) in the last three years
- d. Valid New Zealand visa (including electronic visa but excluding visitor visa)
- e. A letter of explanation stating the reason for applying for the multiple visa
- (4) Applicant with sufficient financial capacity (as mentioned 1(4) above)
- a. Application form (with Photo)
- b. Passport (MRP/ e-passport in compliance with the ICAO standard only)
- c. Evidence showing financial capacity (tax statement showing annual salary, certificate of employment showing annual salary, plus any other supporting documents such as bank statements, property ownership)
- d. Valid New Zealand visa (including electronic visa but excluding visitor visa)

- e. A letter of explanation stating the reason for applying for the multiple visa
- (5) Spouse or children of the individuals who are mentioned (4) above (as mentioned 1(5) above)
- a. Application form (with Photo)
- b. Passport (MRP/ e-passport in compliance with the ICAO standard only)
- c. Documents to prove kinship
- d. (if applying separately from the applicant 2(4) above) documents of c as mentioned 2(4) above
- * if the spouse or parent already has the multiple entry visa as applicant with sufficient financial capacity (as mentioned 2(4) above), please submit a copy of his/her passport (pages of identification and the visa).
- e. Valid New Zealand visa (including electronic visa but excluding visitor visa)
- f. A letter of explanation stating the reason of applying for the multiple visa

If necessary, we might ask for additional documents apart from the documents mentioned above.

*The application of visas can be accepted only at the closest Embassy or Consulate-General of Japan of the applicant's residence. Please note that we may issue a single entry visa after visa examination.

Application Procedures for Multiple Visa for Nationals of India for business purpose, and cultural or intellectual figures

The following is an outline of application procedures for nationals of India who wish to apply for a multiple entry visa for business purpose, and for cultural or intellectual figures (period of stay: 15, 30, or 90 days, visa validity: 1, 3, 5, 10 years). The visa is for the purpose of business affairs for the first visit, but from the second visit it is possible to use as tourist or visiting to relatives/ acquaintances as well. But it is not permitted to perform activities to undertake revenue generating business operations or activities to receive remuneration.

Eligibility for Applicant

1 Applicant with business purpose

Applicant who is applicable to one of the following categories and his/her spouse or children

- (1) A regular employee of a public (government) enterprise
- (2) An employee of a private company which is listed on the stock exchange (including Japan and third countries)
- (3) A regular employee of a Japanese-affiliated company which is a member of the Japan Chamber of Commerce and has a management base in Japan
- (4) A regular employee of a joint venture company, a subsidiary company or a branch office of a company which is listed on the stock exchange (including Japan and the third countries)
- (5) A regular employee of a private company with constant business transactions with a Japanese company which is listed on the stock exchange
- (6) A regular employee with a travel record to Japan for business purpose and travel records as temporary visitor to G7 countries (except Japan) in the last three years
- (7) A regular employee with more than three travel records to Japan for business purpose in the last three years

2 Applicants for cultural or intellectual figures etc.

Applicant who is applicable to one of the following categories and his/her spouse or children

- (1) An artist (Fine Art, Literary Art, Music, Stage Play, Dance etc.), a specialist in humanities (Literature, Law, Economics etc.), or a scientist (Technology, Medicine etc.) who has relevant accomplishments
- (2) A lawyer, certified public accountant, patent attorney, judicial scrivener, notary, medical doctor who has a national or international qualification and actually working as the same position.
- (3) An amateur sports player who has relevant accomplishments
- (4) A full-time professor, assistant professor, or lecturer of a university or a college
- (5) A director or higher post of a national or public research institution or a museum
- (6) A Diet member, government official, local assemblyman, local government official

Necessary Documents to Submit

apart from the documents mentioned below. Business purpose participation in meetings, business liaison, business consultations, contract signing, after-sale services, advertising, market research, etc.	exchange between municipalities, sports exchange, academic exchange, participation in meetings, academic conference, etc.
☐ Passport	☐ Passport
\square Visa application form (with photo) \square	☐ Visa application form (with photo) ☐
Documents to prove the applicant qualifies for one	Documents to prove the applicant qualifies for one
of the categories abovementioned 1(1) \sim (7) \times (if	of the categories abovementioned 2(1) \sim (6)
qualifying for abovementioned 1(6) or (7)) employment certificate and current or old pass- port that shows temporary visitor visas and entry stamps of Japan and G7 countries (except Japan) in the last three years Documents to prove kinship ※(if applying separately from the applicant) a copy of his/her passport (pages of identification and Japanese multiple visa) A letter of explanation stating the reason of applying for the multiple visa	 □ Documents to prove kinship ※(if applying separately from the applicant) a copy of his/her passport (pages of identification and Japanese multiple visa □ A letter of explanation stating the reason of applying for the multiple visa