

# High Commission for the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago

42 Belgrave Square, London, SW1X 8NT

Tel.: (01144) 207 245 9351 • Fax: (01144) 207 823 1065• E-mail: hclondonimmigration@foreign.gov.tt • Website: http://foreign.gov.tt/hclondon

# VISA APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO HONORARY CONSULS

# 1) GUIDELINES ON COMPLETION AND SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORM

- Visa application forms are available at the Trinidad and Tobago High Commission, London or via the Trinidad and Tobago Ministry of Foreign Affairs website: <a href="https://foreign.gov.tt/missions-consuls/tt-missions-abroad/diplomatic-missions/high-commission-london-united-kingdom/">https://foreign.gov.tt/missions-consuls/tt-missions-abroad/diplomatic-missions/high-commission-london-united-kingdom/</a>
- On completion of the application form all section must be completed with the required information. (**Please note incomplete forms will cause a delay in your application**).
- Applicants must sign on the signature line located under the photograph box on page one (1) and at the Declaration section on page two (2).

#### 2) REQUIREMENTS

- Passport of Applicant/s (valid for a minimum of six months)
- Residence Permit (valid for a minimum of six months)
- Marriage Certificate (all applicants)
- Job Letter / Self Employment documents to show proof of self employment.
- Pensioners must submit proof of pension and bank statements reflecting Pension payment
- Six (6) months bank statements reflecting income (all applicants).
- **Students** must submit a letter from the College/University etc... informing that they do attend the establishment, the course of study and when their study will cease.
- For sponsored trips a letter from the sponsor along with a copy of the bio data page of their passport and their bank statements for a period of six months, must be submitted.
- If travelling with minors, a copy of the child's passport must be submitted along with the flight itinerary) If applying for a visa for a child, the original passport must be submitted along with accompanying documents.
- If travelling with spouse, submit a copy of their passport and flight itinerary.
- If spouse is not a national of Trinidad and Tobago and does not require a visa but will also be travelling, a copy of their passport must be submitted.
- If spouse is a Trinidad and Tobago national, a copy of their Trinidad and Tobago passport (Machine Readable) must be submitted. If spouse is in possession of a Handwritten Passport, their Birth Certificate and copy of passport must be submitted:

#### 3) PROOF OF STAY

- Letter of invitation if staying at friends or relatives. This must be submitted with a copy of the bio data page of their passport
- If staying at one's own property, the Deed for the said property must be submitted.
- If travelling on business, a letter from your company of employment as well as the company in Trinidad and Tobago, detailing the purpose of your visit must be submitted

- Hotel Itinerary (if accommodation is inclusive of more than one hotel, the itinerary for all hotels must be provided)
- Flight Itinerary inclusive of all flights and return (all applicants)

### 4) PHOTOGRAPHS

• A clear coloured passport sized photo

# **Portrait Quality**

- Only coloured photographs are acceptable.
- o The background for the image must be pure white.
- The portrait must be taken with the subject's head upright and looking directly at the camera; both edges of the face should be clearly visible with a neutral expression.
- o The portrait should be in sharp focus with no shadows or reflections on the face.
- o A full front view of applicant's face, with eyes open and without glasses (unless there is a physical disability), are to be taken. <u>NB</u>: Head-dress may be accepted only in keeping with religious customs or for medical reasons. In ALL cases, full facial features from bottom of chin to top of forehead must be clearly visible, i.e. absolutely no hair on your forehead or falling at the sides of the face.
- All facial jewellery (nose, eye rings etc.) MUST BE REMOVED.
- o The portrait should be on high quality photographic paper with high resolution.
- o DO NOT pin, staple or glue photographs to the application form.
- o Photographs MUST have been taken within the last six (6) month.

ALL PHOTOGRAPHS AND SCANNED DOCUMENTS INCLUDING PASSPORT AND RESIDENCE PERMITS MUST BE CLEARLY SCANNED IN COLOUR WHEN SUBMITTING THE APPLICATION

ANY DOCUMENT NOT RECORDED IN ENGLISH <u>MUST BE ACCOMPANIED</u> BY AN OFFICIAL ENGLISH TRANSLATION

PLEASE NOTE VISA APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED AT LEAST ONE (1) MONTH PRIOR TO TRAVEL. THE PROCESSING TIME FOR THE VISA IS BETWEEN TWO (2) WEEKS TO ONE (1) MONTH UPON RECEIPT OF THE APPLICATION.

THE USE OF CORRECTION FLUID IS STRICLY PROHIBITED