

MULTIPLE-ENTRY VISA

Golden Visa

A multiple-entry visa for high-net-worth individuals, investors and entrepreneurs, and their immediate dependents, the spouse and children. A holder who invests at least USD 1 million in a qualifying business activity during the first twelve months of residence becomes eligible to apply for a twenty-year Permanent Residence Permit.

This checklist follows the EDB's Golden Visa Scheme Guidelines of August 2026. Applications are filed on the National E-Licensing System, and a complete application is to be processed within five working days. There is no processing fee.

Investment At least USD 1 million in qualifying sectors within the first twelve months of residence, confirmed by a written undertaking	Qualifying sectors Financial services, fintech, ICT, tourism and hospitality, manufacturing, healthcare and wellness, education, renewable energy, blue economy, innovative or knowledge-based activities, creative industries	Source of income The applicant's initial source of income must be outside Mauritius
Initial visa Up to two years, multiple entry, renewable	Fee and processing No processing fee; five working days from a complete application	Process Filed on NELS, screened by the EDB, issued by the Passport and Immigration Office

☒ Required
 ☐ If applicable

Document	First application	Renewal
APPLICATION AND IDENTITY		
☐ Golden Visa application form Completed on the National E-Licensing System (NELS).	☒	☒
☐ Passport, front cover and biodata page Valid for at least six months.	☒	☒
BUSINESS PLAN AND FUNDS		
☐ Detailed business plan Background of the shareholders or promoters, the project and its implementation schedule, and how the project is financed.	☒	☒

Document	First application	Renewal
☐ Written undertaking to invest at least USD 1 million within the first twelve months In the EDB's form, signed by the applicant.	●	—
☐ Bank statement showing at least USD 1 million From a financial institution in the applicant's country of origin, in the applicant's name or that of an entity the applicant beneficially owns.	●	—
STAY IN MAURITIUS		
☐ Travel and health insurance	●	●
☐ Letter of accommodation for the intended stay A hotel booking, a rental agreement, or a letter of invitation from a host with the host's proof of address and a copy of their ID, passport or residence permit.	●	●
DEPENDENTS		
☐ Spouse: marriage certificate Or any other applicable document.	○	—
☐ Children: birth certificate	○	—
☐ Children: letter of consent from the other parent Where a child is accompanied by one parent only.	○	○
FURTHER DOCUMENTS		
☐ Any other document the EDB or the PIO asks for	○	○

Before you file

- Eligibility is not the same as approval. The application is assessed on its merits, and completing the investment does not convert the visa into permanent residence automatically.
- The EDB follows up on the investment during the first twelve months. Failing to meet the undertaking may lead to the cancellation, revocation or non-renewal of the visa.
- Source of funds is where a file is tested. We prepare it to the standard the authorities apply, drawing on the group's compliance practice, and confirm the requirements with the EDB before filing.

We prepare the file, and stay with it after issuance.

Send us the documents you already have and we will tell you what is missing, what needs certifying or translating, and in what order the steps should run. Nothing is filed until the file is complete.

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Eligibility criteria and documentary requirements are set by the Economic Development Board and the Passport and Immigration Office and are revised with each National Budget. This checklist follows the EDB guidelines as revised after the 2026-27 Budget and was last checked in September 2026. It is a working guide, not legal advice, and the authorities may request further documents in any individual case. We confirm the current requirements before any application is prepared. start.mu is a service of Intrasia Corporate Services Limited.