REQUIREMENTS FOR WORK PERMIT ONLY

Persons requiring Work Permits are requested to submit the following along with completed Work Permit application form to the Office of the Prime Minister:

1. Letter from Employer.

2. Certified copy of passport (Bio-data page/s).

3. Proof that the position applied for has been advertised.

4. Police Record from country where applicant recently resided for a period in excess of six (6) months, prior to arrival in St. Vincent and the Grenadines.

5. Pay application fee of $200.00 (non-refundable)

(See List of fees for payment rates upon approval)

Any document that is not in the English language should be accompanied by an official translation

NB: A Work permit only is issued on a one-time basis for not more than six (6) months. Applicants requesting more than six (6) months for a work permit, are required to submit an application for a residence permit also.
REQUIREMENTS FOR RESIDENCE

Persons wishing to reside in St. Vincent & the Grenadines are required to submit the following:

1. Completed Residence Application form in (DUPLICATE) along with the following to the Office of the Prime Minister:

   i. Two (2) passport-size photos (certified)

   ii. Police Certificate of Character from the country where the applicant has most recently resided for a period in excess of six (6) months, prior to arrival in St. Vincent and the Grenadines.

   iii. A recent Bank Statement or other evidence of the applicant’s current financial resources along with a letter detailing reason/s for requiring residence or a letter of support from an individual.

   iv. If the applicant plans to be employed he/she is required submit a letter of support from his employer stating the reason/s for recruiting a non-national for the position offered and accepting financial responsibility for him/her.


   vi. Copy of passport (Personal Information/Bio-data page/s)

2. Pay an application fee of EC$200.00
   (See List of fees for payment rates upon approval)

   (A contact telephone number is required. Birth and Marriage certificates and any other supporting documents are also required, where applicable, to facilitate the application process)

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As of August 1st, 2011, under the OECS Treaty, OECS nationals are not required to submit work and residence applications.
REQUIREMENTS FOR CITIZENSHIP

Persons wishing to acquire Citizenship of St. Vincent & the Grenadines are required to:

1. Complete Citizenship Application Form (including Reference Page) and submit to the Office of the Prime Minister, along with:
   i. a certified passport-size photo of both applicant and spouse
   ii. Birth Certificate of both applicant and spouse and copy of passport bio-data page for both applicant and spouse
   iii. Marriage Certificate
   iv. Medical Certificate/ (Doctor’s report) (of applicant)
   v. Police Certificate (of applicant) from the country where the applicant has most recently resided for a period in excess of six (6) months, prior to arrival in St. Vincent and the Grenadines.
   vi. Any other supporting documents, where applicable

2. Pay an application fee of $200.00 (non-refundable)

3. Pay Registration fee of $2,000.00/$3000.00 (payable on approval of the application)

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NB: ALL DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED MUST BE ORIGINAL AND WOULD BE RETURNED TO THE APPLICANT ON COMPLETION OF THE APPLICATION PROCESS