



THE EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA HAS THE PLEASURE TO RECONFIRM THAT THE INTERNATIONAL BORDERS OF SOUTH AFRICA HAVE BEEN OPENED FOR INTERNATIONAL TRAVELLERS.

VISA INFORMATION

HOLDERS OF ORDINARY PASSPORTS OF MEXICO, EL SALVADOR, GUATEMALA, HONDURAS AND NICARAGUA NEED VISAS TO TRAVEL TO THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

COSTA RICA AND PANAMA ORDINARY PASSPORT HOLDERS **DO NOT** NEED VISAS FOR TOURISM AND/OR BUSINESS PURPOSES WHEN VISIT IS LESS THAN 90 DAYS.

VISA APPLICATIONS ARE BEING RECEIVED FOR PROCESSING ON **MONDAYS ONLY BETWEEN 10:00 AND 12:00**

A FULL VISA APPLICATION FORM WITH ANNEXURES AS PUBLISHED ON THIS WEBSITE, FACE BOOK, TWITTER AND INSTAGRAM ACCOUNTS, THAT IS FULLY COMPLETED AND SEALED IN A CLEARLY MARKED ENVELOPE WITH THE NAME OF THE APPLICANT AND CELL PHONE NUMBER, CAN BE DEPOSITED AT THE EMBASSY 'S DROP BOX

PAYMENT OF VISAS:

- 1. TOURISM AND BUSINESS VISAS VALID FOR LESS THAN 90 DAYS FOR MEXICAN PASSPORT HOLDERS ARE ISSUED GRATIS. FOR OTHER NATIONALITIES FEE IS 570 MXP PER PERSON WHEN PAYING IN MEXICO OR 47 USD PER PERSON WHEN PAYING IN COUNTRY OF ORIGIN**
- 2. THE VISA FEE FOR VISAS VALID FOR A STAY OF MORE THAN 90 DAYS, RETIREMENT, CRITICAL SKILLS VISAS, WORK VISAS, INTRA-COMPANY AND SPOUSE VISAS, IS: 2040 MXP WHEN PAYING IN MEXICO OR 47 USD WHEN PAYING IN COUNTRY OF ORIGIN**
- 3. STUDY VISA FEE IS 570 MXP WHEN PAYING IN MEXICO OR 47 USD WHEN PAYING IN COUNTRY OF ORIGIN**
- 4. IN MEXICO THE FEE MUST BE DEPOSITED ON THE NAME OF THE EMBASSY WITH HSBC BANK MARKED CLEARLY WITH THE NAME OF THE PERSON AS REFERENCE. THE BANK RECEIPT OF PAYMENT MUST BE INCLUDED IN THE APPLICATION ENVELOPE.**

5. **VISA PAYMENT FOR MEXICAN CITIZENS MUST BE MADE IN MEXICAN PESOS IN HSBC**
6. **VISA PAYMENT FOR CENTRAL AMERICAN CITIZENS MUST BE MADE IN US DOLLAR VIA BANK TRANSFER TO HSBC BANK ACCOUNT OF THE EMBASSY**

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS TO BE USED FOR THESE APPLICATIONS

ANNEXURES:

1. **VISA APPLICATION FORM FOR COMPLETION AND SIGNATURE**
2. **LIST OF DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR A VISA**
3. **EMBASSY OF SOUTH AFRICA BANKING DETAILS**

REQUESTS FOR CIVIC MATTERS CAN BE DEPOSITED ON FRIDAYS BETWEEN 10:00 AND 12:00 IN THE DESIGNATED MARKED BOX IN FRONT OF THE EMBASSY DOOR.

EMBASSY OF SOUTH AFRICA ADDRESS: **ANDRES BELLO NO. 10, PISO 9, COL. POLANCO, C.P. 11560, EDIFICIO FORUM.**

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE VISA PROCESS WILL TAKE 10 DAYS TO BE COMPLETED FOR COLLECTION FROM THE EMBASSY **DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.**

OUT OF TOWN VISA APPLICATIONS AND REQUESTS FOR PASSPORTS AND OTHER SOUTH AFRICAN DOCUMENTS MUST BE SENT THROUGH TO THIS EMBASSY VIA COURIER FOR PROCESSING.

APPLICANTS MUST PLEASE TAKE NOTE THAT THE EMBASSY IS OPEN **ONLY ON MONDAYS AND FRIDAYS FROM 10:00 TO 12:00 FOR THE PUBLIC** DUE TO THE RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED BY THE MEXICAN AND SOUTH AFRICAN AUTHORITIES RELATED TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND COOPERATION.

**EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA
MEXICO CITY
UNITED MEXICAN STATES**

TUESDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2020