

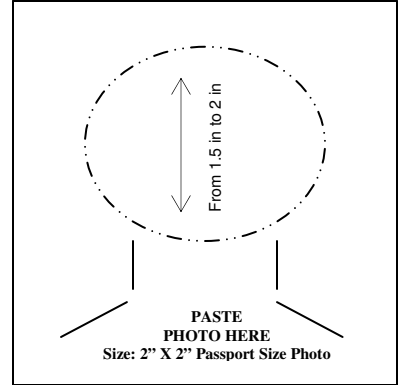


APPLICATION FOR PERSON OF INDIAN ORIGIN (PIO CARD)

THIS FORM IS FOR GRANT AND RENEWAL OF A PERSON OF INDIAN ORIGIN (PIO) CARD

(PLEASE PRINT IN BLOCK LETTERS ONLY)

1. (a) LAST NAME (surname or family name):		(b) FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME:	
(c) SURNAME AT BIRTH (IF ANY)		(d) OTHER NAMES (WHERE APPLICABLE):	
(e). DATE OF BIRTH ____/____/____ (DD) (MM) (YYYY)		(f). PLACE OF BIRTH: (TOWN, CITY & COUNTRY)	
2. (a) FULL NAME OF FATHER		NATIONALITY	COUNTRY OF HIS BIRTH
(b) FULL NAME OF MOTHER		NATIONALITY	COUNTRY OF HER BIRTH
(c) FULL NAME OF SPOUSE (If Applicable)		NATIONALITY	COUNTRY OF BIRTH
3. (a) ADDRESS IN USA _____ _____ _____ (b) PERMANENT ADDRESS IN INDIA (VERIFIABLE) _____ _____			
4. CONTACT INFORMATION: (a) HOME: () (b) CELL: () (c) WORK: () (d) EMAIL:			
5. PROFESSION OR OCCUPATION		6. BUSINESS/OFFICE ADDRESS	
6. SEX <input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE	7. MARITAL STATUS <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> UNMARRIED	8. NATIONALITY (at time of Birth)	
9. (a) PRESENT NATIONALITY (if different)		9. (b) DATE ON WHICH ACQUIRED (dd/mm/yyyy)	
10. PASSPORT PARTICULARS OF APPLICANT (a)PASSPORT NO (b) PLACE OF ISSUE (c) DATE OF ISSUE (d) DATE OF EXPIRY (E) ISSUING COUNTRY ____/____/____ (DD) (MM) (YYYY) (DD) (MM) (YYYY) _____			
11. Does the applicant hold dual nationality? <i>If yes, give details including the details of all the passport held etc.:</i>		YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Did the applicant at any time hold the nationality of any other country other than the Present nationality? <i>If yes, give details including the period:</i>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Whether the applicant or either of his/her parents or grand parents or great grand parents held an Indian Passport at any time? If so, details thereof: (a) Name & Relationship with the Applicant: _____ (b) Passport Number : _____ (c) Date of Issue: _____ (d) Place of Issue: _____ (e) Date of Expiry: _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Whether the applicant or either of his/her parents or any of his/her grand parents or great grand parents was born and was permanently resident in India as defined in the Government of India Act, 1935* at any time? If so following details may be indicated: (a) Name & Relationship with the Applicant: _____ (b) Place of Birth : _____ (c) Date of Birth: _____ (d) Proof of residence etc. (Enclose photocopy of relevant documents: _____ Note: If applicant is the spouse of a citizen of India or a person of Indian origin, his/her particulars should be indicated).		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Has the applicant ever been refused Indian passport/travel document or visa for visiting India? If so, give complete details (i.e. Place & Date of application, purpose, reasons for refusal etc.			
16. Details of previous PIO Card (wherever applicable) (c) DATE OF ISSUE (d) DATE OF EXPIRY (E) PLACE OF ISSUE ____/____/____ (DD) (MM) (YYYY) (DD) (MM) (YYYY) _____			



↑ SIGNATURE OR THUMB IMPRESSION ↑
Left -Male / Right - female
(Within the box)

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

FILE No:

REF	AD	CLR
DE	PSS	PA

PIO CARD NO:

17. Name & Complete address of two persons known to the applicant living in India:

(a). Name / Relationship: _____
 Complete Postal Address _____
 Telephone No.: _____

(b). Name / Relationship: _____
 Complete Postal Address _____
 Telephone No.: _____

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that the above statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Place _____
 Date _____

Signature or thumb impression of applicant or his/her legal guardian (Left thumb impression of male and Right Thumb impression for females.)

MANDATORY

Declaration of Parents for applying for minors (upto 18 years) – to be signed By both parents duly notarized

We affirm that the particulars given above are in respect of (Name).....son/daughter of Smt.....and Shri..... Of whom we are the parents. We undertake the entire responsibility for his/her expenses. We solemnly declare that the information given in respect of him/her in this application is true. It is also certified that the name of the child mentioned is not included in the passport of either parent.

Signature or Thumb Impression of (1) Mother..... Father.....

MAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Application received by mail should be accompanied by a stamped self addressed USPS EXPRESS MAIL Envelope or \$ 20 (twenty) for returning document. Please note down the tracking number on the USPS envelope for your record.

Mailing Address: CONSULAR WING – PIO SECTION
 Consulate General of India
 540 Arguello Boulevard San Francisco CA 94118

Note:

When applying **in person**, please carry originals of all the supporting documents, photocopies of which you are enclosing with the application. The originals have to be presented to the Consular Officer

If applying by mail, Photocopy of all supporting documents should be notarized and attached to the application. If original supporting documents are enclosed, there is no need of notarization. When the original passport is enclosed, there is no need to notarize photocopy.

For mailing back, please enclose stamped self-addressed USPS Express Mail envelope or \$20 (twenty) (for return by overnight mail which is more reliable and safe). Consulate does not accept responsibility for delay in receipt or loss of documents sent by certified mail. Please note that payments for applications sent by mail can only be made through money order or cashier's check in favour of the Consulate General of India.

When applying in person no prior appointment is required. Applications would be accepted on any working day between 9am to 12nn

CHECK LIST FOR PIO APPLICATION

S.N	Requirement	To be ticked by applicant	For Consulate Use
1	Printed copy of this checklist (for each applicant)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2	Surrender Certificate	<input type="checkbox"/>	
3	Application Form	<input type="checkbox"/>	
4	Current US/ foreign Passport in original	<input type="checkbox"/>	
5	Copy of US naturalization certificate	<input type="checkbox"/>	
6	Two Colour legible photocopies of Green Card -----OR----- Two Colour legible photocopies of EAD -----OR----- Original Indian passport on which first time entered USA -----OR----- original I-130 and supporting documents provided at the time of obtaining immigrant visa to enter the US -----OR----- If applicant is US/foreign born, pl. provide two photocopies of birth certificate (<i>If you choose this option, in S. N. 7 below, pl. provide documents as per OPTION B</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
7	OPTION A: Original Indian passport -----OR----- OPTION B: (i) Two photocopies of birth certificate (attested by both parents, if minor), AND (ii) Any US Court order regarding custody of minor child/divorce, if applicable, AND (iii) Copy of US and Indian passport/OEI cards of both parents	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
8	(a) Driving license OR (b) PG&E, Water or landline telephone bill displaying applicant's address OR (c) House Lease Agreement	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
9	Two self-attested photocopies of the first and last pages of US/ foreign passport	<input type="checkbox"/>	
10	Photocopies of documents being submitted at Serial No. 7	<input type="checkbox"/>	
11	Two - (2" X 2") - size photographs	<input type="checkbox"/>	
12	Requisite Fee	<input type="checkbox"/>	
13	Self Addressed Trackable Return Envelope	<input type="checkbox"/>	
14	In case name change from maiden to married; (i) Notarized affidavit, AND (ii) Notarized copy of marriage certificate, AND (iii) Copy of Spouse's passport In case name change for other reasons: (i) Notarized affidavit, AND (ii) Advertisement in newspaper in USA and India for change of name	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	