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## **PORTUGAL D-2 VISA PROCESS-:**

Portugal D-2 visa one of the advantages for business entrepreneurs, freelancers, independent professionals who are willing to establish their future business in Portugal as well as in Schengen area.

### **Definition of D-2 visa of Portugal-:**

In general, Portugal, having two categories of visa, that's all short-term and long-term visas. The D2 visa fall under the category of long-term visa program in Portugal. That is also known as entrepreneur visa, independent professional and start-up visa of Portugal.

### **Who eligible for portuguese D2 visa programe-:**

- D2 Visa for entrepreneurs
- D2 Visa for independent professional
- D2 Visa for start-ups
- D2 Visa for investors
- D2 Visa for company owner, shareholder, partner, the board of directors.
- D2 Visa for branch owners, and share-holder partners and directors.

### **How to obtain Portuguese D2 (immigrant entrepreneurs) Visa-:**

Concerning obtaining Portuguese D2 visa should have a motivated and solid business plan, along with Deep research about future business in Portugal, as well as about the country. Should demonstrate a strong relation and research with the Portuguese territory and business community of Portugal. Also, you should be registered with appropriate authorities before starting your project in Portugal. Business capital is one of the important marks of your interest, an investor should have sufficient budget and capital to start commercial activity/company in Portugal.

### **Step by step procedure to obtain D2 visa of Portugal-:**

Step 1 – research and connection with Portuguese business community.

Step 2 – Formation / establish a branch office in Portugal.

Step 3 – obtain all needful licence and permits.

Step 4 – Open business account of the company in any of financial institute of Portugal.

Step 5 – hire an accountant/manager for the operation of business in Portuguese territory.

Step 6 – start paying tax and social contribution employee/share holder partner of the company.

Step 7 – Transfer your business capital to a Portuguese company bank account at least 50% of the investment.

Step 8 – Fill your application form for D2 visa which is available on Portuguese consulate website of your residence country (duly completed and signed).

**Step 9 – Prepare your solid business plan and cover letter along with below mention documents.**

- Portuguese company Certificate along with MOU
- Portuguese bank account statement with a capital
- Submit your personal tax number and company tax number
- Submit your social security and company social security number.
- Submit your manager and accountant business/employment contracts
- Submit your and employee's social contribution receipts of the last 3 months
- Submit your accommodation proof of Portugal

**Step - 10 Besides documents from your home/residence country.**

- Your present business/employment proof of your residence/home country
- Tax and income proof of your present country
- Proof of your experience and education in the present and future business
- Passport along with previous travel history data on passport.
- Your personal and business bank statements of your residence country
- Your fixed deposit and investment assets detail information along with proof attached
- Resolution from your current employer/ business partner the decision to start a new branch or a new company in Portuguese territory.
- Proof of legal residence of your resident country for the appropriate authority (such as long-stay visa, and/or residence or work permit).
- Flight reservation of air ticket
- Travel medical insurance
- Applicant present residency country Criminal record certificate, issued by the competent authority.

**Step 11 - May Portuguese consulate ask for additional documents or call for interview.**

Step 12 - Portuguese consulate transfer your visa application to the competent authority SEF at Portugal for the final decision on your D2 visa application will take nearly 2-3 months.

Step 13 – final visa decision made by SEF Portuguese immigration authority delivered to the consulate at your country further consulate will grant visa or decision of your application to you.

Step 14 – after success D2 visa (validity of 120 days) under article 60, on landing in Portugal you have to book an appointment with SEF for the biometrics further receive residence card (valid for 2 years) under article 89.1.

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