

# EU-LONG TERMS RESIDENCE

Change into **PORTUGAL**



# EU

Long terms residence card holders

Permanent card holders

Blue card holders

## STEP BY STEP PROCESS

Define purpose of residence

Establish connection

Book an appointment with SEF

Prepare checklist

Biomatrics

Collation of residence card

Family reunification

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## STEP-1

### DEFINE PURPOSE OF RESIDENCE

Must define the purpose of accessing the Portuguese market for employment, business, professionalism, education, family or other legal, commercial, non-commercial activities.



## STEP-2

### ESTABLISH CONNECTION

Before moving residence request to competent authority demonstrate your association with

- Tax authorities
- Banking institute
- Social security institute
- Licensing/permits authorities
- Establishment place of projected commercial activities
- Establishment place of address in Portugal
- Employment, business, study, family contracts



### STEP-3

#### BOOK AN APPOINTMENT WITH SEF

Book an appointment with (SEF) by telephonic call as per your convenience time and date along with location subject to availability.

## STEP-4

### CHECKLIST (DOCUMENTS)

- Passport valid
- EU-long term residency permit
- Criminal record from home country
- Criminal record from resident country
- Portuguese tax number
- Portuguese bank account
- Proof of Professionalism in Portugal
- Portuguese social security number
- Accommodation proof in Portugal
- Additional documents



## STEP-5

### VISIT TO SEF FOR BIOMETRIC

On the appointment day, the applicant is obliged to report Portugal immigration authority (SEF) with appropriate documents translated into Portuguese .

## STEP-6

### COLLECTION OF RESIDENCE CARD

The residence card will deliver to your Portuguese home address by post, which will be valid for the next 5 years or as per validity of your EU -card.



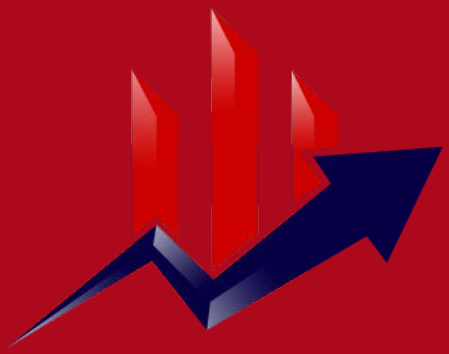
## STEP-7

### FAMILY REUNIFICATION

Once the primary applicant holds a Portuguese residency card right to call family members under family reunification.

#### General terms in article 98

- Spouse
- Children's
- Parents



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