



Australian Government
Department of Immigration and Border Protection
Australian Embassy, Moscow

TRANSIT VISA - DOCUMENT CHECKLIST

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- ◆ YOU SHOULD PROVIDE ALL THE DOCUMENTS BELOW WHEN YOU LODGE YOUR VISA APPLICATION.
 - ◆ YOU CAN PROVIDE NON-CERTIFIED PHOTOCOPIES OF PASSPORTS AND OTHER SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS.
 - ◆ ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS MUST BE PROVIDED (IN ADDITION TO) FOR ALL DOCUMENTS NOT IN ENGLISH (UNOFFICIAL TRANSLATION IS SUFFICIENT)
 - ◆ THERE IS **NO VISA APPLICATION CHARGE** PAYABLE FOR TRANSIT VISA APPLICATIONS
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- ☐ [FORM 876](#) - Completed and signed
- ☐ Your written consent if you want any other person or agent to receive information about your application.
Use [Form 956](#) or [Form 956A](#)
- ☐ One passport sized, colour **photograph** – less than one year old.
- ☐ **Photocopy of the bio-data page of your valid international passport. Do not provide original passport.**

If you are not joining a vessel as crew, you must also provide:

- ☐ **Evidence that you will stay in Australia for less than 72 hours.** This should include photocopies of:
 - ◆ your airline ticket/s or your travel itinerary showing your onward booking
 - ◆ your visa for the country of your intended destination, if you require a visa for that country

Crew members wishing to join or leave a commercial or merchant vessel must also provide:

- ☐ **A photocopy of the bio-date page of their seafarer's identity document** (eg seaman's passport)
- ☐ **A statement from the vessel's local shipping/handling agent** indicating:
 - ◆ the names of the persons joining the vessel as crew
 - ◆ the names of the person(s) they are replacing
 - ◆ the name of the vessel
 - ◆ the expected date of arrival in Australia of the person(s) to be visaed
 - ◆ the port and date they are expected to join the vessel **and**
- ☐ If the agent is not the vessel's owner, a **copy of the request for crew from the vessel's agent in Australia.**
The request should contain the details of the crew members applying for visas.

You may be asked to provide further information depending on your individual circumstances. This may include a Curriculum Vitae (CV) or other requirements. You will be advised of these after you lodge your application.