



SOUTH AFRICAN EMBASSY, HARARE

PERMANENT RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS

Section 27 (b)

1. Two recent passport size photographs.
2. Valid passport.
3. Full birth certificate.
4. Change of name or gender document (ie. Statutory Declaration, Deep Poll or legal Adoption Certificate)
5. Medical and radiological report.
6. Police clearance certificate for all applicants 18 years of age and older in respect of all countries of residence for one year or longer. (Only originals issued by the relevant security authority will be accepted). Certificates may not be older than six months at the time of submission of the application.
7. Marriage certificate, or extract from marriage record / proof of registration of customary marriage in terms of Recognition of Customary Marriages Act, 1998 (Act No 120 of 1998), where applicable / Spousal affidavit.

Documentary proof of cohabitation and extent to which the related financial responsibilities are shared by the parties.
8. Divorce decree or proof of legal separation and all relevant court orders regarding custody and maintenance of children and previous spouses. (*All applicants who are divorced or legally separated*).
9. Written consent of both parents in the case of minor children where only one of the parents is immigrating.
10. Death certificate of late spouse, where applicable. All widowed persons.
11. Proof that the application falls within the critical skills category as published from time to time by the Minister by notice in the Gazette in the form of a certificate from the professional body, council for board recognized by SAQA in terms of section 13(1)(i) of the National Qualifications Framework Act or the relevant Department confirming the skills or qualifications of the applicant.
12. If required by law, a certificate of registration with the professional body, council or board recognized by SAQA in terms of section 13 (1)(i) of the National Qualification Framework Act.
13. Proof of post qualification experience of at least five years.
14. Testimonials from previous employers.
15. A comprehensive curriculum vitae.
16. A motivation indicating that the critical skills possessed by the applicant will be to the benefit of the South African environment in which he / she intends to operate and which relates to the critical skill in question.
17. Payment of prescribed fee US\$133.00 non refundable.