

Department of Commerce

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OFFICE OF FOREIGN INVESTMENT ASSISTANCE

Foreign Investor Certificate Certificate of Approved Investment

**Certificate Fee: \$10,000
Investor Visa Fee: \$2,500**

Please read the following information carefully

- ✓ Application must be submitted only after the applicant has lawfully entered the Commonwealth. Holders of a short term business entry permit, a regular term business certificate or a long term business certificate shall be eligible to apply.
- ✓ Please provide copies packaged of the following documents in a folder for each set. The third copy will be for the applicants file.
- ✓ It is imperative that the following documents be provided for the thorough review by the Foreign Investment Review Committee.
- ✓ An initial review of all documents may be requested through the Foreign Investment Officer before a payment is made.
- ✓ Completed applications may also be submitted at the One Start Office located at the Office of the Register of Corporation.

A. Requirements: Application Checklist (Pink Copy)

- _____ 3 each 1¼ Current Photo (attached to each copy of application)
- _____ Marriage Certificate (If applicable)
- _____ Current Police Clearance from country of origin (For Korean nationals, clearance will be requested by the Department of Commerce)
- _____ Health Certificate (Current)
- _____ Copy of Passport (Pages with pertinent information)
- _____ Copy of Birth Certificate

B. Requirements: Application Checklist (Gold Copy)

Refer to reference handout for requirements and packaging guide. (Attached)

- _____ Original Landing Form or Original Permit
- _____ Evidence of PAID IN CAPITAL
(Bank statements showing amount deposited in CNMI business account, invoices, receipts or contracts for assets purchased, stock purchase transaction records, loan or other borrowing agreement, money transfers, promissory notes, security deposit agreement or any other agreements supporting the application)
- _____ Consent to Release of Account Information (Commerce copy to Commerce Office & bank copy to Bank)

C. Requirements: Application Checklist (Green Copy)

Same as **B Requirement** Checklist; for applicants file.