



Residency Permit

To acquire a Residency Permit for St. Vincent and the Grenadines, the following procedures must be followed:

Complete Residency Permit Application Form (in duplicate) along with the following and Return Application Form to the Office of the Prime Minister (Residency Department):

- Two (2) passport sized photographs (certified)
- Police Certificate of Character/Criminal Record database search from the country where the applicant has most recently resided for a period in excess of six (6) months
- A recent bank statement or other evidence of the applicant's current financial resources. In lieu of this, the applicant may submit a letter of support from an individual or from his/her employer (if he plans to be employed locally), whereby the employer will accept financial responsibility (sponsor) for the applicant
- Medical Certificate (Doctor's Report of health)
- Copy of passport(s) - personal information page/bio data page(s)
- A contact telephone is required
- Birth and/or marriage certificates, including decree absolute required, where applicable
- Pay an application fee of EC\$200.00 (non-refundable)

The documents will be sent to Cabinet for approval (see list of fees below upon acceptance):

As of August 1, 2011 under the OECS Treaty, OECS Nationals are not required to submit work and residence applications

Fees – (as of March 01, 2016) - subject to change

Temporary Residence

Application Fee	EC\$200.00 (non-refundable)
CARICOM Nationals	EC\$800.00 per annum
Commonwealth Nationals	EC\$1600.00 per annum
Others	EC\$2400.00 per annum

Permanent Residence

Application Fee	EC\$200.00 (non-refundable)
CARICOM Nationals	EC\$2400.00
Commonwealth Nationals	EC\$2400.00
Others	EC\$3200.00
By reason of Alien Land-Holding License	EC\$8000.00

Replacement fee for all categories of permits and certificates EC\$100.00