

# CONSULATE GENERAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF TURKEY - KARACHI

## Visa Requirements for Pakistani Citizens

- First time application of all type of visas must be submitted in person.
- Further applications may be submitted by an authorized third party with copy of his NIC.
- Submission time is: 10.00 am till 12.00 am – Collection time is 2.30 pm – 3.30 pm
- Passports can be collected by authorized third parties with NIC.
- In principle, visas will be issued within 3 working days if all documents are presented and if there is no further procedure needed. Visa procedures for the citizens of some countries who require the approval of the Turkish immigration authorities may take up to 4 weeks or longer.

## Required Documents

- Valid travel document (passport) (It should be valid at least three months longer than the expiry date of the requested visa),
- Completed visa application form
- One passport size photograph of the applicant (It should be affixed on the top left side of the visa application form),
- Documents supporting the purpose and the conditions of the planned visit (e.g. letter of invitation, travel itinerary, round trip ticket, hotel reservation with payment guarantee etc.),
- Guarantees regarding means of subsistence,
- Non-refundable visa processing fee (the amount differs depending on the nationality and visa type),
- If the person applies from a country other than his/her homeland, then he/she should also submit his/her valid residence permit or any document that proves he/she legally stays in that country.
- Recent bank statement (for the last 6 months.) With the name and contact details of the issuing staff of the particular bank branch.
- If the person applies for a business visa, an invitation letter from the counterpart company is also required in addition to the above mentioned documents.
- Requirement for short term tourist, academic, business etc. visas are based on the same procedure except the following:
  - Tourist visa applicants shall provide a confirmed travel/package tour itinerary. If the itinerary includes a trip to third countries and if Turkey is the first country to be visited, said countries' visas shall be obtained prior the application.
  - If the itinerary requires multiple entries to Turkey, applicant/agent shall inform the visa section
- Passport and photo copies (original passport will be detained for a maximum period of 3 working days) Employment Letter (stating applicant's position, seniority and monthly net salary in the company)
- Endorsed business documents if self employed
- Double transit visa applicants are required to enter and leave Turkey from two different international sea/airports. If the trip requires entering and leaving Turkey via the same international sea/airports, applicants shall apply for a multiple entry visa.
- All submitted documents shall be original or certified true copies.
- If you are already holding a valid multiple entry visa which is affixed to your expired passport, please note that it is compulsory to apply for the transfer of the visa to the new passport. Transferring of valid multiple visa to a new issued passport is free of charges.
- Please indicate if there is any other purpose for your visit such as official, international seminars, conferences, conventions, fairs etc. as the application may be subjected to an exceptional visa facilitation or procedure.